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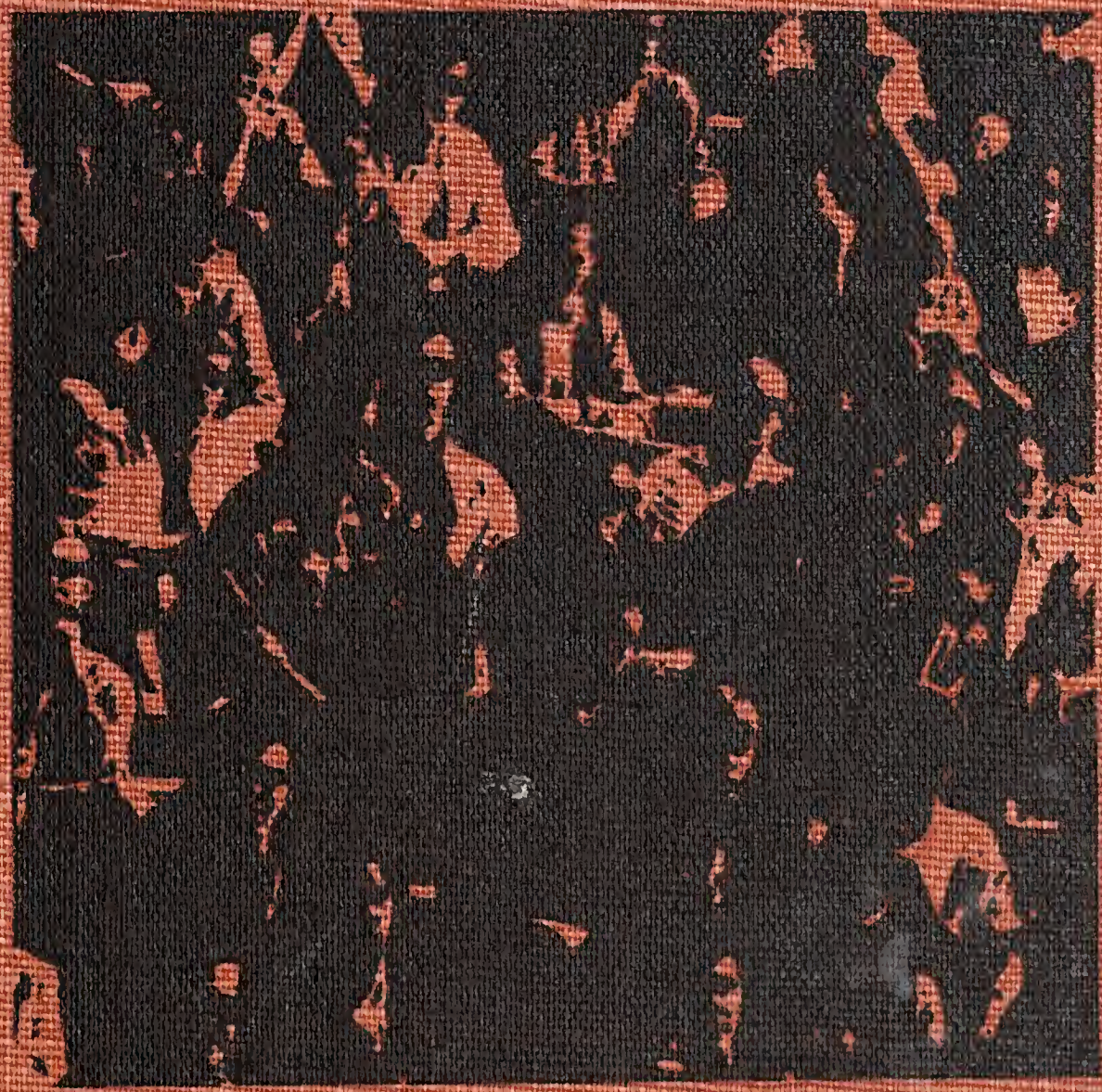

Well Hello Wesli —

You know it's a real pleasure to be able to write in such a charming guy's annual! (I wonder who own's this annual?) Some of my best and most fun times have been when I was laughing it up with Wesli Koons and Susan Bridges! You are so great — it's hard to believe! By the way Susan "Censored" this before you read it! But (was) have no fright — cause Susan read this & didn't put up a fight! Well enough intellectual poetry! — Have a blast at Camp with Susan — or are you going to the beach! Best of luck my friend!

Luv ya lots
Tobi Wallace

[illegible] ... really ... it the ... nice!!! ... been great ... [illegible] ... of course ... think ... annual ... I'm ... wanted to ... honestly ... wild!! ... everything! ... forget ... Best of ... very ... [illegible]

Joan [illegible]

George Wesley Evans - 1968
Class of '69

Wesley,

It has been wonderful knowing you for the past 2 years. I don't know how we stood old Mrs. Jones last year but Mrs. Morris' class sure has been fun, hasn't it?

I would like to wish you all the luck in the future. I am sure you will make a great leader. Best of luck in everything you do.

Luck
Love
Laughter

Beth Long

Wesley;
I will never forget all the fun we had before Miss Patrick moved you. Thanks to you my Senior Year has been loads of fun. I wish you the best of luck always. Stay as sweet as you are. And you will reach that star. I hope your Senior Year is as Happy and Eventful as mine has been.
May God Bless and Keep You.

Love ya,
Laura Ladd '68

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Wesley

To one of the greatest, funniest guys I have ever met. We've had a lot of fun in Algebra with the lovely and kind understanding Miss Rubnich. We also had a lot of fun in Sunday School (that's when I showed up). I can't wait till this summer at the beach because last year was so great. Then in it the end came. I'll see you at Sunday School and I hope next year Best of luck to a great guy

F. Wesley (Betts)

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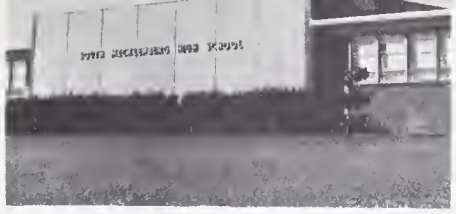

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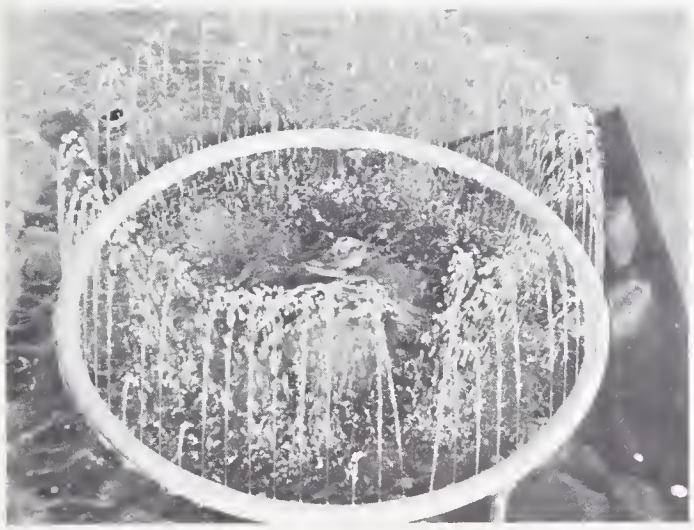
To witness the cold, dull quiet of a night on her campus, to know the silence of South when the noise of yesterday has gone and the voices of tomorrow have yet to come—this is the South that her students never know.



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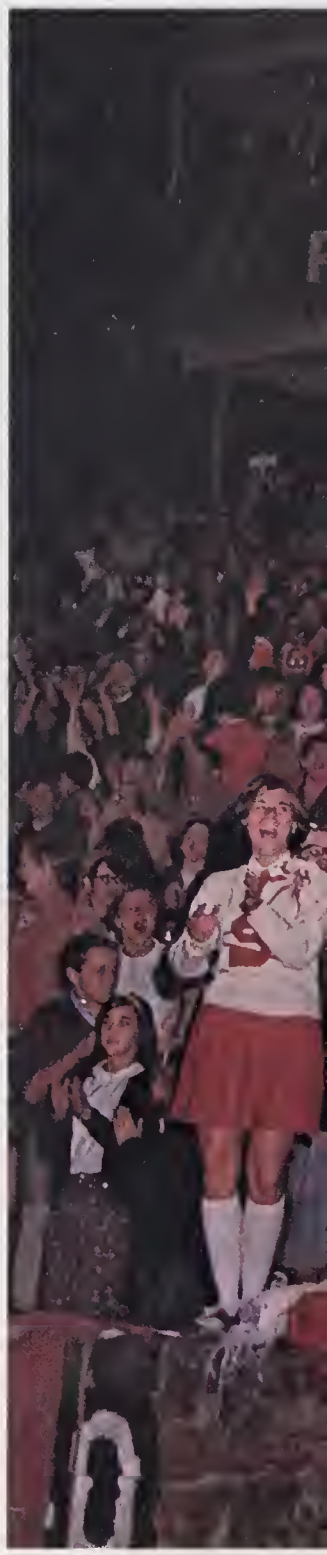
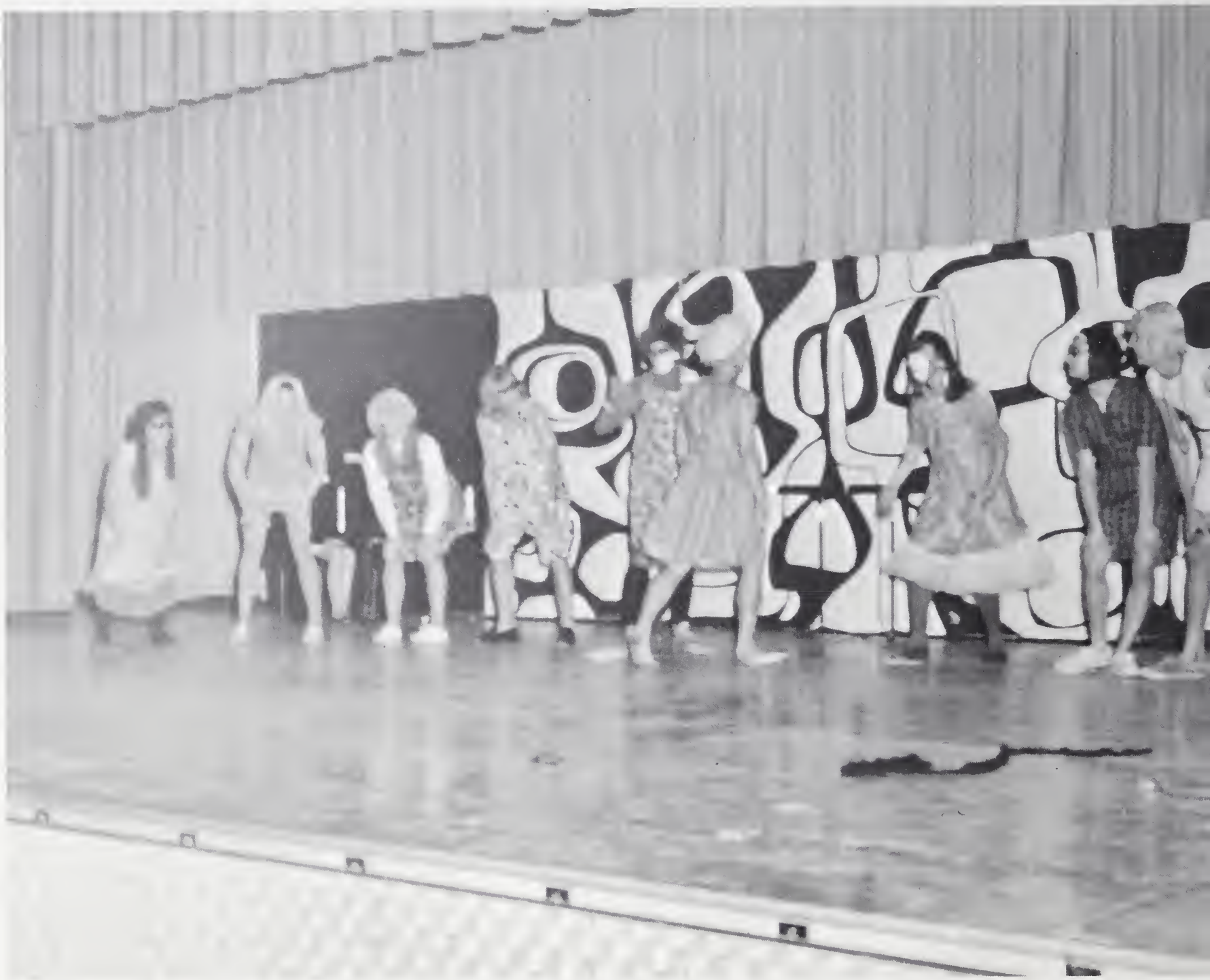


When she awakes on a September morning is the time she truly comes to life
and with her come alive—

# The Sounds of South



Wesley,
I can't
wait to hear the
mighty south Pen
with you croaking
out music (?)!
Can't wait to work
with you on the
annual. You were
a great help
during Helen's
campaign &
making flowers for
South Seas.
Good luck,
God Bless you,
Janice
Theresa
Alberto
I

For sophomores there are new sounds, sounds from which to learn and experience as a part of maturing;
For juniors there are the sounds of scholarship past and wisdom that is yet to come;
For seniors a mingling of joy and sorrow will sound in every cherished note and tone played by South in this last year, for it was here within her walls, that the foundation was laid for a life possessing wisdom,happiness, and integrity.

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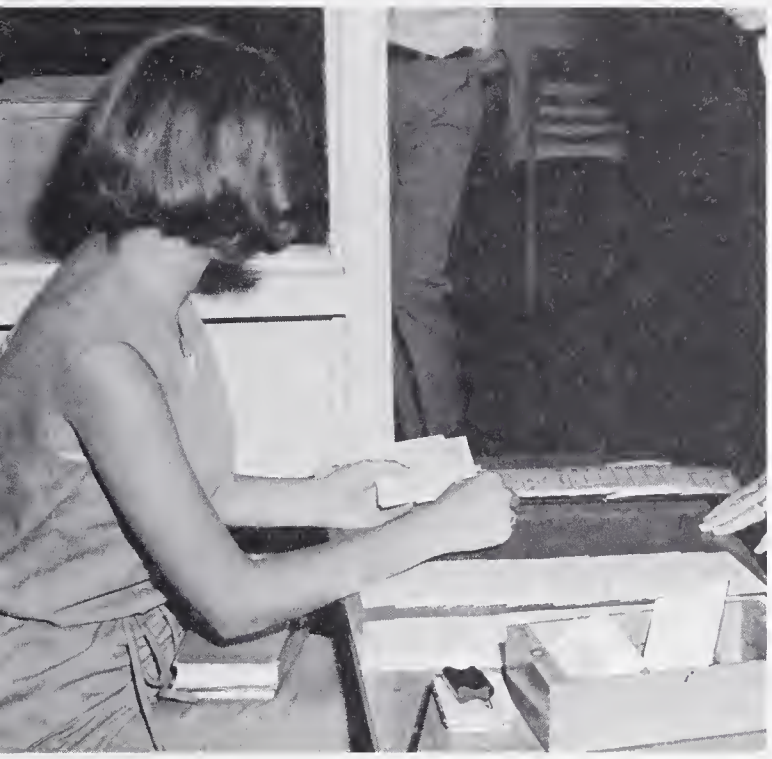
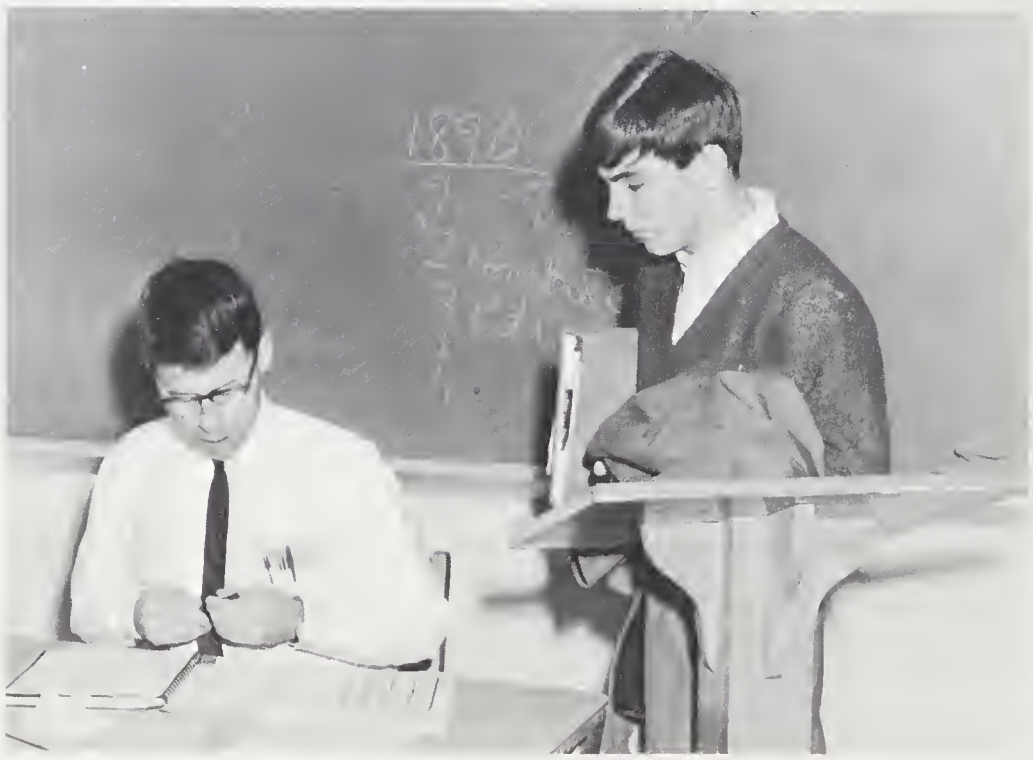


For all her students there are the unheard, or at least unnoticed, hammerings and moldings that are the sounds of education sculpting today's youth into tomorrow's leaders.

# Dedication

Always leading the anxious wave of sideline supporters, Coach Patten looks on at the Garinger game.



Mr. Patten never fails to find time in his busy schedule for personal consultation with a student.

Mr. Patten is just as
in either domain.

much at ease in the classroom as on the gridiron and he is equally talented

For once Coach Patten gets to leave for home before sundown.

He has devoted immeasurable time and boundless energy to the endeavors of our school. By giving his pupils a valuable knowledge of history, he has truly earned the title of teacher. He has shown a quiet but genuine interest in all his students, given respect to every deserving person while earning our deep respect. He has molded a football team of whose accomplishments South can be very proud; but more important, he has instilled in us a sportsmanlike integrity and a modest pride that we hope is reflected in us all. In return, we, the Class of 1968, do gratefully dedicate this year's Somecka to this man who has given us so much, Mr. Robert Patten.

# Activities

Honor Council convenes to enforce honor code regulations.

School store is often a focal point of student activity in the morning.

The student council took on a new outlook this year with many noticeable changes. Activity within the council was led by President Gary Williams and the advisor, Mrs. Betty Smith. Other officers were Vice-President Skeet Harris, Secretary Betty Blanton, and Treasurer Janice Alberto.

Business of the year included discussion of campaign procedures during school elections and the buying of the school store by the student council, with this year's council making the first down payment. An inter-club council headed by the vice-president of the student council was suggested in order to coordinate actions between the school service clubs. Stewart Fisher was selected to be the first representative to the Mayor's Youth Council, and a plan by the Youth Council to beautify Charlotte was accepted favorably by a student council whose statewide theme this year was beautification in North Carolina. The student council sponsored the annual Christmas dance and managed to profit $60. Even though the council succeeded at such deserving projects, their primary aim was, as always, effective communication between students and administration.

Student Council officers and Mrs. Smith prepare for the coming year of hard work.

Student Forum enjoys a profitable meeting with Gary Williams presiding.

Committee chairmen begin improvement of intercouncil cooperation at the first organizational meeting.

# Council provides student-faculty co-operation

Student government masses in front of South, showing numbers that few students realize.

# NHS promotes pride in scholastic endeavor

Besides scholorship, the qualities of leadership, character, and a willingness to serve are necessary possessions of the future inductee in the National Honor Society. However, induction is not the ultimate goal of a new member; service soon becomes the aim. The society becomes a true asset to South, with a concerted effort to promote pride in scholastic endeavor and in our school.

At fall inductions four distinguished members of the society, Paula Lombardi, Margaret Nelson, Becky Pickle, and Jeff Langley, gave speeches concerning the standard attributes of Honor Society inductees - - scholarship, leadership, service, and character. The new members quickly became acquainted with their fellow scholars at the November NHS banquet and then immediately tackled the responsibility that honor carries. Tutoring, compiling and selling student directories, and selling football programs were among their many tasks in addition to being commissioned to keep South's campus clean. Spring brought the duties to a climax and replaced them with the fellowship of the annual picnic at Freedom Park.

The National Honor Society has given its members much more than the honor of wearing an NHS emblem at graduation - - it has yielded mature and responsible adults.

**Front row:** Mrs. Kincaid, advisor, P. Lombardi, sec, M. Nelson, v-pres, C. Hawkins, B. Pickle, J. Langley, A. Faires, B. Farrell, V. Geer; **Third Fourth row:** D. Durham, J. Dentler, D. Montezinos, B. Bateman, D. Bit-

Committee chairmen proudly look through the major NHS project, student directories.

Becky Pickle cheerfully sells football programs for NHS.

J. Beall, pres, J. Franks, v-pres, P. Parker, treas; **Second row:** L. Booth, **row:** D. Rogers, M. Vaden, S. Millbern, M. Roberts, M. Bishop, M. Hill; tinger.

Dr. Culbreth, guest speaker for NHS banquet, expounds on his businessman's holiday in Bolivia.

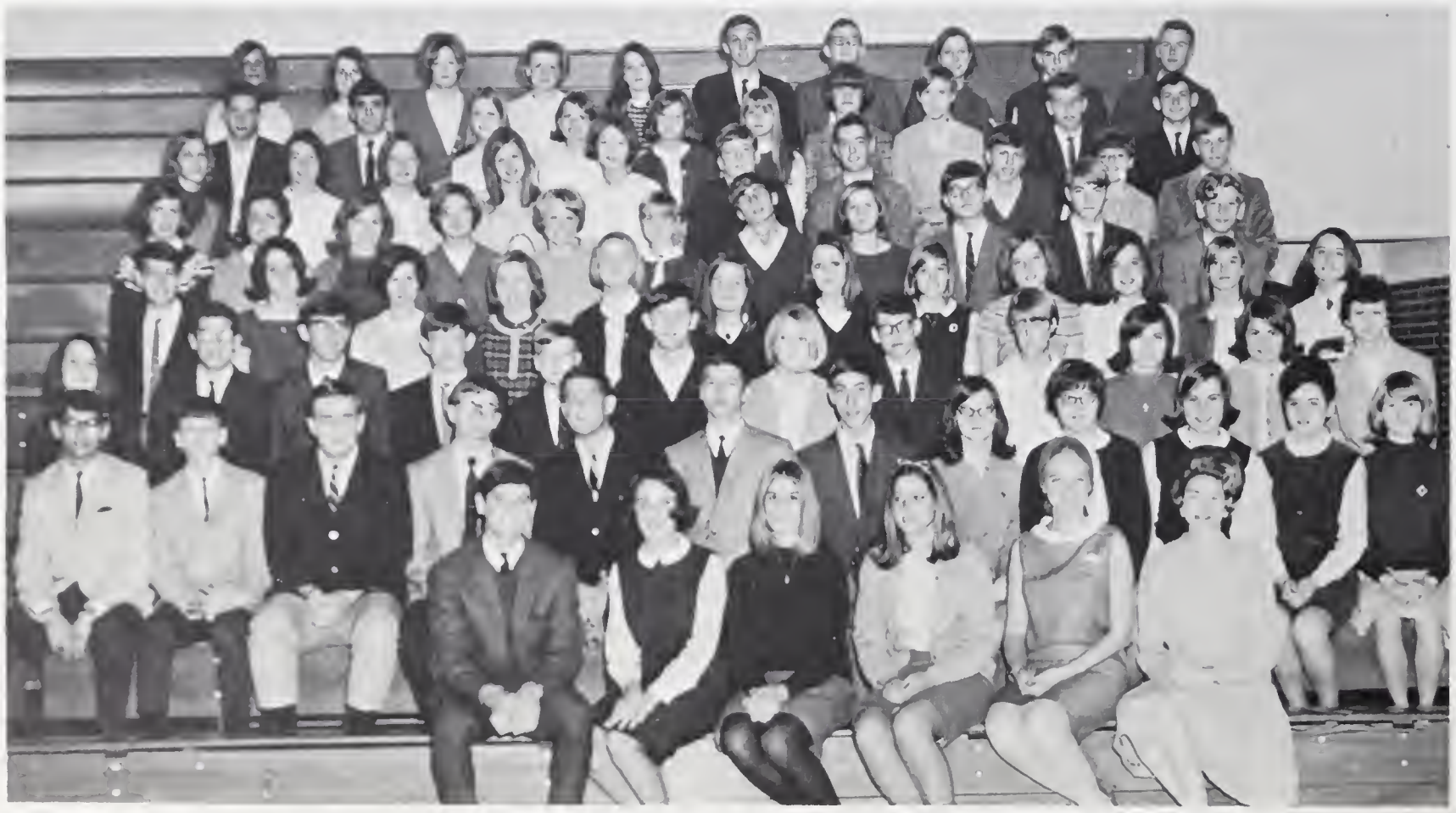
NHS inductees seem to enjoy lighting the candle of knowledge.

The Spanish Club enjoyed an eventful year through the leadership of capable President Donna Harris and the imaginative suggestions of sponsors Miss Osborne and Mrs. Hanna. During informative monthly meetings various interesting activities and projects enjoyed the enthusiastic support of every member.

Spanish Club members are captivated by the strumming of guest speaker, Señor Gonzalez.

Miss Osborne constantly tries to inject culture into Spanish Club meetings.

# Spanish culture intrigues receptive minds



**Front Row**: M. Dailey, D. Harris, S. Sangster, M. Kinney, Mrs. Hanna, advisor; Miss Osborne, advisor; **Second Row**: M. Cavallone, J. Fisher, T. Lassiter, J. Walden, R. Autrey, S. Fisher, R. Shapiro, D. Gardner, P. Williams, A. Pennington, A. Nichols; **Third Row**: O. Allen, D. Hemenway, R. Forte, C. Banks, D. Parsons, S. Mueller, G. Flynn, A. Betts, C. Schlee, B. Poulus, W. Porter, M. Hill; **Fourth Row**; J. Beall, D. Spoor, L. Southerland, L. Clark, P. Whitley, T. Simmons, D. Allred, L. Fesperman, K. Burns, C. Evans, L. Fesperman, J. Owens; **Fifth Row**: J. Mann, D. Lambe, P. Hammel, K. Schneider, C. Linthicum, V. Hartwig, M. Johnson, P. Courson, D. Erwin, M. Ellington, M. Insch; **Sixth Row**; C. Moorefield, B. Greene, C. Shannon, J. Blair, M. Ferguson, L. Berger, T. Smith, J. Eriksen, L. Yates, B. Jacobson; **Seventh Row**: M. Levine, R. Elkins, S. Yoakley, B. Einhart, M. Newton, G. Thornton, J. Seymour, K. Smith, D. Lakeman, D. Norman; **Eighth Row**: C. Keith, D. Paradise, W. Jacobsen, S. Allman, J. McDonald, T. Atkinson, M. Surrat, M. Walker, T. Patton, J. Doss.

**Front Row:** C. Shannon, D. Hartis, L. Guild, Mrs. Ware, advisor; J. Franks, T. Lassiter, D. Harris, D. Paradise; **Second Row:** J. Alberto, D. Carlson, J. Mann, D. Spoor, P. Kell, B. Blanton, K. Miracle, M. Daniel, S. Sangster; **Third Row:** M. Ellington, D. Bittinger, S. Morris, T. Smith, R. Dickson, J. Beall, V. Schliestett, B. Howell.

# Proficient Spanish comes for some at South

Jenny Franks and Donna Spoor plan March inductions with Mrs. Ware.

Library's language room responds to Project Committee's bright decorations

Students often find it difficult to maintain above average grades in English, much less keep a 92 average in Spanish for three semesters, but twenty-eight students have earned the necessary grade and have been inducted into the Spanish Honor Society. Each March brings with its inductions a few more select members to study the heritage of Spain, and fourth year Spanish classes contribute honorary members who are recognized for their perseverence. Besides studying the society, members decorated the library's language room, raised a small, but sincere, donation to help finance Peruvian Maria de Rojas' leg operation; even found time to have a banquet in February.

This year Les Provencaux has tried to give each member an insight into the everyday life of the French people. Steve Graham, a student who lived in France this past summer, was the first speaker. He answered questions about French opinions of the United States, living conditions in France, and different French customs. M. Claude De Four, the second guest speaker, also spoke on different aspects of French life as compared with those in America. These, along with other speakers, planned programs, films and socials, supplemented ideas learned in class.

The club officers smile - with a French accent, of course.

Before monthly meetings members usually find time to converse in French.

# Les Provencaux eagerly parler Français

**First Row:** M.J. Reid, J. Emery, A. Craig, S. Estes, D. Clark, S. Minick, A. Sherett, S. Miller, D. Gillmore, J. Ellen Abramson, C. Harvey, D. Findlay, S. Starnes, M. Picard, P. Fidero; **Second Row:** B. Robinson, S. Post, C. Earthman, D. Martin, K. Moore, J. Fleck, P. Garges, L. Fesperman, J. Lowrance, L. Yandell, N. Pate, D. Becker, L. Pulliam, L. Cobb, J. Stafford, N. Allen, C. Wells, C. Hawkins, N. Atwood, B. Furr, S. Chesnut; **Third Row:** S. Hensley, S. Riggins, D. Salzer, R. Boyd, J. McDonald, F. McAlister, C. Millsaps, B. Stafford, L. Edwards, K. Campbell, D. Many, D. Durham, P. Burriss, D. Robbins.

**Front Row**: D. Pautler, B. Ridgeway, D. Gilreath, S. Richards, V. Stallings, K. O'Shields, S. Bartlett, J. Milam, M. Picard, C. Linthicum, K. Cook, V. Tatum, L. Dickerson, J. Nowlan; **Second Row**: P. Adkins, M. Bishop, L. McMillen, T. Brooker, C. Adkins, S. Gianopulas, M. Johnson, S. Millbern, C. Mullis, R. Pugh, J. Norman; **Third Row**: Mrs. Mays, advisor; E. Thacker, D. Huss, D. Guggenheim, G. Wallace, D. Newell, B. Tansil, R. Kelley.

# Latin Club scrutinizes Roman heritage

Susan Millbern considers plans for next program.

Mrs. Mays and student consult dictionary to settle moot point.

The Latin Club has been organized for the purpose of giving interested South students a way to learn more about Latin and the Roman culture. This goal is accomplished through monthly meetings at which speakers encourage the students in their studies by speeches and slides describing Ancient Rome. Faithful attendance at the annual state convention held in Chapel Hill and at South's Latin Banquet shows the enjoyment members gain from their participation.

Fatigue overtakes our illustrious editor but Becky keeps on pushing.

One joy of drawing layouts - erasing in triplicate.

# Time and energy build a better *Somecka*

The 1968 Somecka staff has made a concentrated effort to produce South's finest Somecka. Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Morris, the staff advisors, see that the seventh period journalism II class has worked diligently to continually meet its monthly deadlines. Producing a good yearbook takes a great deal of time and effort. Quite often much more time was needed than the allotted one hour a day, but the staff did not mind giving the extra hours because they knew that they were producing a "super Somecka".

Under the experienced guidance of Cathy Slesinger and Mrs. Talley, the Somecka business staff has continued its part to the production of the 1968 Somecka. The business staff was responsible for selling approximately $1000.00 in advertisements. These ads were sold during one school day and many sacrificed afternoons.

The Somecka staff becomes strangely still when the time comes for its own picture.

Problems are always cropping up in choosing photos for Somecka.

**Front row:** Mrs. Talley, advisor; C. Slesinger, manager; M. Duffy; **Second row:** B. Strawn, J. Johnstone, B. Howell; **Third row:** P. Garges; **Fourth row:** J. Fleck, B. Farrell; **Fifth row:** M. Allen, M. Walker; **Sixth row:** P. Adkins, J. Mann; **Seventh row:** C. Wells, D. Salzer.

The literary staff works diligently as the deadline approaches.

Much discussion, besides hard work, goes into each issue of the **Southern Accent.**

# *Southern Accent* journalists produce an outstanding student publication

This year **The Southern Accent** has reached a new high in presenting an interesting newspaper for South's student body. The periodical's increased coverage is partially due to the homeroom and roving reporters. The staff no longer operates on a fully specialized basis, but has pooled its resourceful members for a common and more effective effort. These same ambitious staff members ran a general store at the Pancake Breakfast, selling home-baked goods, Christmas decorations, and novelties. With the close cooperation between Jody Emrie, the editor, and Mrs. Ann Baker, the advisor, the staff of 1967-68 developed a precedence for excellence.

Mitch Albright, Peter Jorgenson, and Wade Carpenter scrutinize the first issue of **The Southern Accent.**

To the busy **Southern Accent** staff seventh period always seems shorter than the others.

Staff prepares items to be sold at the "General Store."

Jody Emrie, capable editor of the **Accent**, discusses a problem with the advisor, Mrs. Baker.

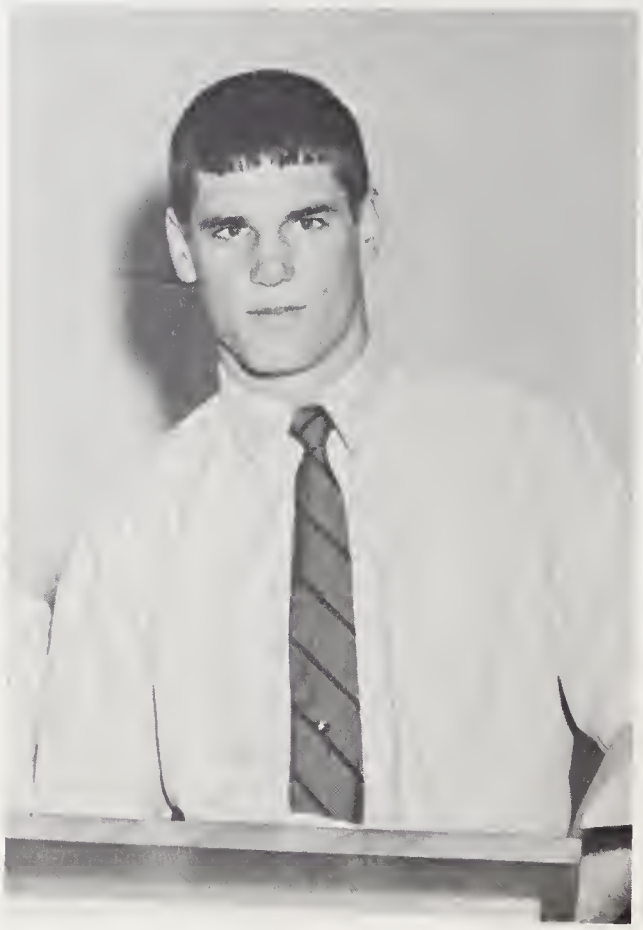
Seated: B. Veselick, K. Jones, M. Vaden, S. Henderson, B. Wall, J. Baker, L. Booth, W. Doster, J. Langley, M. Helms: Standing: A. Alexander, G. Beaty, G. Helton, A. Knighten, D. McFall, R. Shoaf, S. Harris, R. Bottoms, R. Elkins, B. Fernie, M. Cassel, M. Clark, J. Largen.

# Key Club forms integral part of service picture

Being a member of the Key Club is a full-time occupation. During the week the boys in the Key Club are busy selling Sabre license plates and South Mecklenburg car stickers, and during the weekend they are occupied by various service projects. The Key Club has adopted a Viet Nam orphan and are learning how to be fathers. However, despite the Key Club's busy schedule, they often take time out on Sundays to attend church together, constantly epitomizing South's ideal man.

Phung is the adorable orphan the Key Club has adopted.

Key Club Christmas cheer towers over the winter campus.



President Bryan Wall is key man in club's operation.

Interkeys Sharon Post and Sherry Bailey enjoy advertising the Sleep-in.

# Interkeys define service

Not only South, but also our whole community, has benefited from the Interkeys. They served South by cleaning the patio, polishing South's many trophies, acting as guides during orientation, decorating the student lounge during Christmas, and co-sponsoring the Heart Beat (the Valentine Dance). The Interkeys served the community by acting as ushers at Summer Theater, and collecting four carloads of food, toys, and clothing for a Charlotte family. All these activities are consistent proof that the girls are truly dedicated to conquering apathy.

The Interkey motto, in B-building, served as a constant inspiration to our students.

Happiness was *Fractured Fairytales* as told by Interkeys.

**Standing:** Maggie Gettys, Kathy Campbell, Susan Bridges, Pat Hammell, Margaret Nelson, Paula Lombardi, Martha Underwood, Laura Jane Baigas, Donna Salzer, Linda Armstrong, Sharon Post, Michelle Ricard, Cheryl Crawford, Aleanne Faires, Lizzie Betts, Sherry Bailey, Kathy Miracle, Nancy Fare, Vicki Russom, Bonnie Furr, Janice Johnstone, Wanda Porter; **Seated:** Vicki Geer, Gail McElroy, Miss Woodson, Becky Pickle, Donna McCormick.

**1st** Row: V. Himebauch, A. Guggenheim, A. Rucker, R. Peck, S. Gianopulos, A. Betts, M. Martin, H. Nichols, G. Ledford; **2nd** Row: Advisor, Mr. Gaskins, T. Mole, B. Nelson, J. Mills, R. Kelly, C. Gillen, S. Morris; **3rd** Row: W. Spearman, J. Renfro, M. Dailey, R. McCullock, B. Berrgrov, S. Fisher, B. Standish; **4th** Row: D. Shockley, A. Ramey, D. Bittinger, G. Williams, T. Troutman, R. Romeis, D. Stewart, M. Levin.

# Initiative is the byword

Interact officers are momentarily still before moving to another service project.

Dirk Bittinger concentrates on selling Scott Pugh a UNICEF calendar.

Interact is, as always, a prominent part of South's service organizations. Under the leadership of their president, Ted Troutman, this enthusiastic group of boys has served from Bolivia to the mountains of N. C. Their projects included the financing of a school in Bolivia, the annual selling of Christmas cards for UNICEF, and a Valentine Dance, a joint effort of Interkeys and Interact Clubs. All of their profits were contributed to worthy causes.

Interact financing pushes Bolivian School toward completion.

S.O.S. officers package items for G.I.'s.

Sabres Out to Serve is a selective club which was started this year. It is sponsored by the Red Cross and has projects to help the Red Cross in essential aid to others. During Christmas the S.O.S. members campaigned for necessary items our servicemen lack. The overwhelming interest the project received will certainly prove to be only the beginning of a very useful service club.

Initiating possible community service projects fills a large part of the agenda at S. O. S. meetings.

# S.O.S. benefits world community

**Front Row:** S. Minick, M. Allen, S. Millbern, V. Stallings, K. Davis, C. Linthicum, D. Paradise, W. Porter, D. Poulus, H. Graham, B. Robinson, P. Garges, B. Einhart, S. Carter, P. Fadero, M. Glenham, Mr. Boykin, advisor; **Second Row:** J. Erickson, D. McKenzie, S. Riggins, R. Renwick, B. Strawn, L. Merritt, R. Price, A. Lapham, M. Duffy, J. Seymour, D. Carlson, D. Spoor, C. Hawkins, D. Marrow.

If you shut your eyes the problems of being an M. C. will just go away.

The Teen Tones go back to the "Roaring 20's" in a delightful dance routine.

The Seven Winds sing up a storm.

The Senior Follies is a happy tradition at South; but with the laughter the performances bring, there is also appreciation, perhaps amazement, at the creative efforts put forth by senior classmates. Unsung skills gave the audiences pleasant surprises during the two performances of "Happiness Is . . . "

A variety of high quality acts, rounded out by our two masterful M. C.'s, produced a surprising, but truly entertaining, Senior Follies for 1968.

Liesl Cobb and David Durham play a dynamic duet for Senior Follies' crowds.

The South Men show how much they enjoy being girls.

# Happiness is a memorable Senior Follies

Laura Ladd, organ grinder virtuoso, performs during opening night!

Bryson Bateman serenades with an original ballad.

Dianne Carriker's beautiful voice compliments "Nancy Hanks."

Constant practice gives its reward, a perfect formation in Memorial Stadium.

# Sabre band marches to prominence

Richard McCulloch, our talented drum major, leads the band through its paces.

South's color guard leads our No. 1 band in the Carrousel Parade.

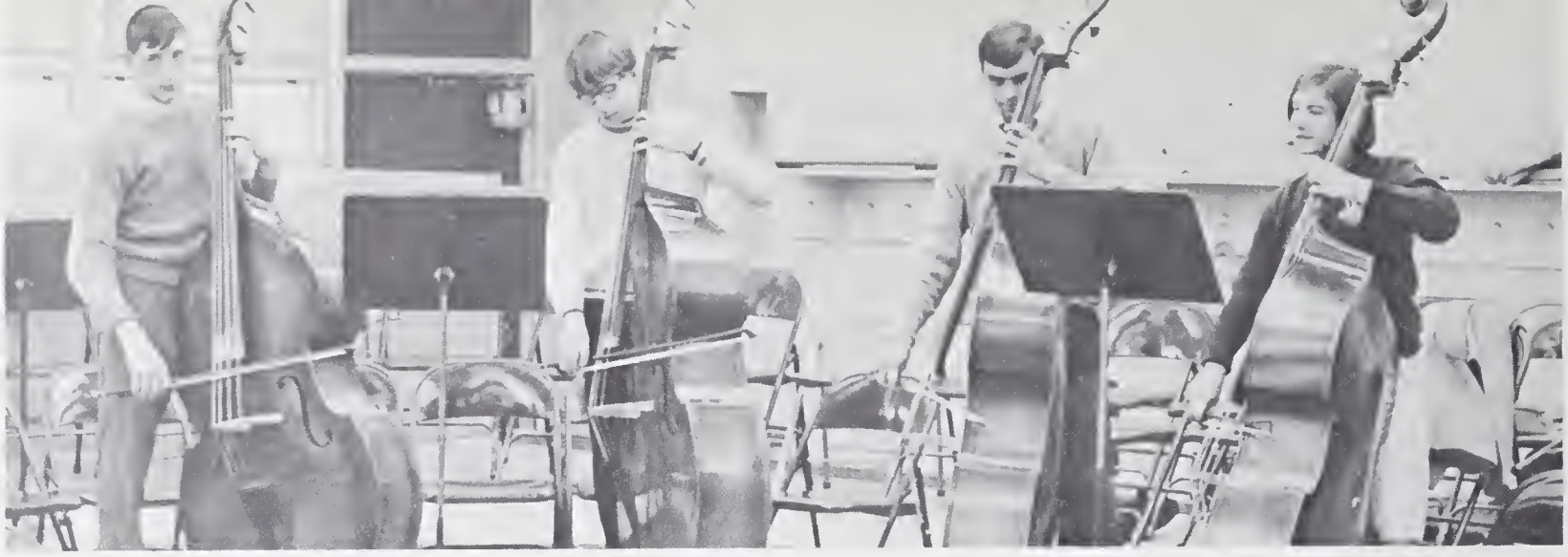
Nothing can stimulate a team to win or inspire a restless crowd to endure a cold halftime as well as a South Mecklenburg High School Marching Band. Besides inspiring Sabres, the band delighted crowds at the Carrousel Parade with its sophisticated formations. A pancake breakfast for South's voracious supporters raised four hundred dollars for the purchase of some ornamental plumes. Under the outstanding direction of Mr. Rayfield Neel, the band once again enjoyed an active and profitable year.

Mr. Neel conducts during the Christmas program.

Richard McCulloch ponders pancakes and the profit they'll bring.

Carrousel Parade is graced by the participation of South's marching band.

Young musicians warm up for their first performance before the student body.



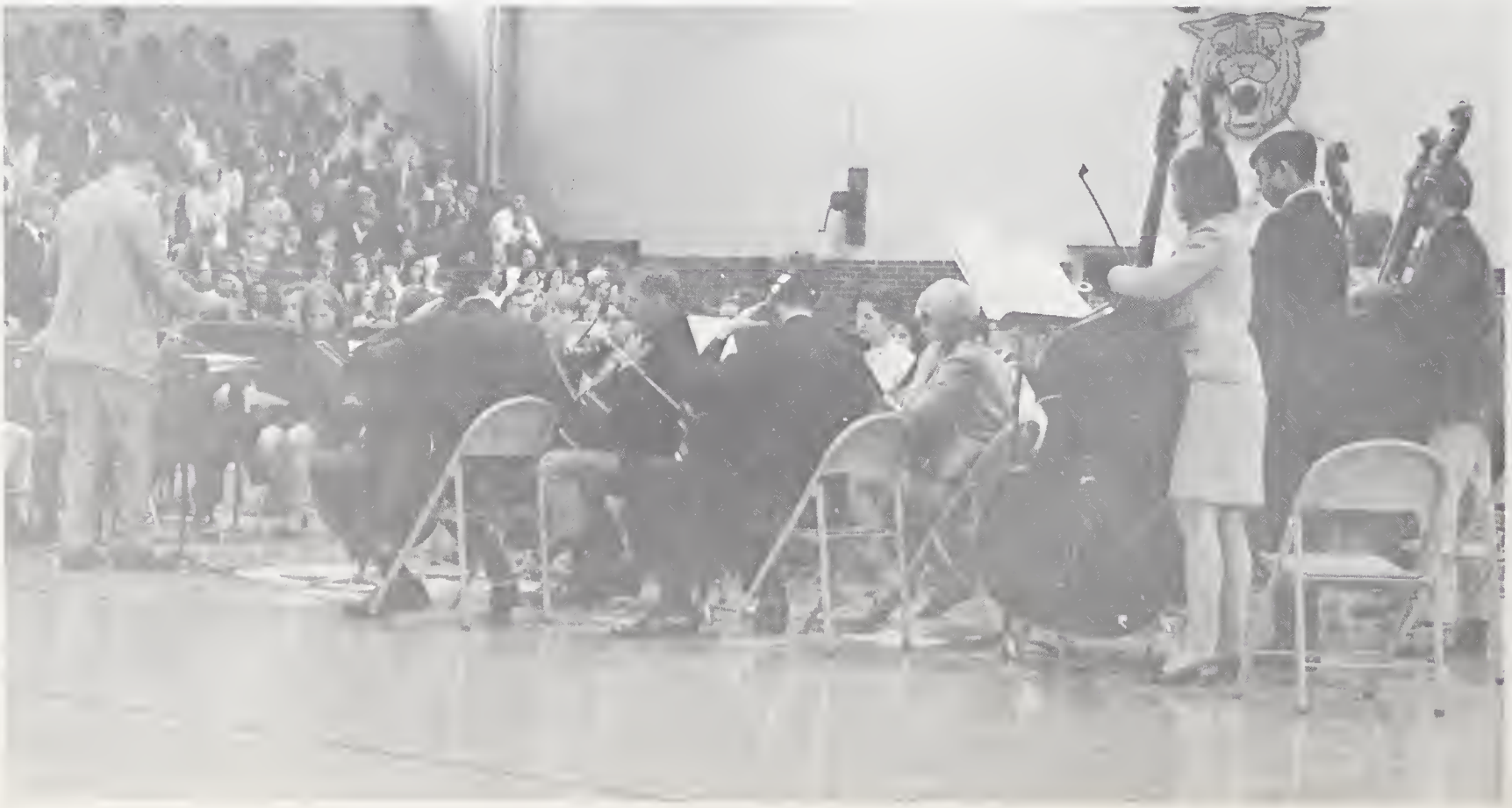
Four bassists devote extra time to acquiring that noted perfection.

# Orchestra adds cultural tone

Seventh period each day, South extends her gift of knowledge to the world of music. Under the direction of Mr. McNeely, the curriculum provides an excellent foundation in the musical fine arts for our orchestra students. About Christmas time the rest of the student body enjoys the chance to appreciate the well-performed works of these deserving musicians. The orchestra, with the rest of the Music Department, continues to be a source of pride for South Mecklenburg.

Mr. McNeely leads his young musicians through appropriate Christmas themes.

Orchestra students concentrate on a difficult piece before an appreciative audience.



**Front Row:** K. Moore, L. Edwards, S. Bailey, R. Price, D. Gilmore, D. Keith, K. Bender, M. Walker, D. Ernsberger, S. Hensley, Miss Aliveto, advisor; **Second Row:** L. Guild, D. Cowin, D. Deal, S. Case, B. Jackson, R. Cook, J. Cline, W. McNeil, G. Bender, T. Wallace, K. Toomey; **Third Row:** B. Armstrong, K. Lassiter, G. Cook, N. Pate, D. Findlay, N. Schmidt, M. Pederson, P. McCauley, M. Mariette, D. Depew, D. Carriker, J. Dentler; **Fourth Row:** L. Bursley, D. Tagalos, L. Shumeir, P. Rodgers, C. Howard, B. Hadley, J. Spoon, M. Turner, M. Gettys.

# Dramatics Club plays an important part

Every spare minute, even time between class, is spent rehearsing the annual production.

Those talented students who are anxious to express themselves and polish their performing ability can do both in this expertly organized Dramatics Club under the supervision of Miss Aliveto. Bustling with activity, anticipation, and "first night jitters," the stars in the Dramatic Club's major production, **The Man Who Came To Dinner**, merited the approval of their audience.

Dramatists discuss interpretations of their production The Man Who Came To Dinner.

Freedom Park echoes with Teen Tone voices.

After receiving a beautiful bouquet, Mrs. Perry happily conducts the choir through the Christmas program.

South's musicians begin an inspiring version of Handel's **Messiah.**

# Music department introduces holidays with a happy note

Festival audiences appreciate the harmony of the Girl's Ensemble.

South Men's melodious voices highlights the Festival in the Park.

Well known and well appreciated are the sounds of Mrs. Perry's many music classes. Her students are not only a substantial contribution to the school's curriculum, but the outstanding performances speak loudly of the never ceasing practice and pure talents that these choristers have donated. The select personnel of this exceptional department comprise the South Men, Teen Tones, and the Girls' Ensemble, three groups extremely popular with the students (due primarily to an excellent Christmas program and the performances at the Festival in the Park).

"Watch Your Step" is the motto of Susie, Robbie, and Cynthia as they cheer for another victory.

Prissy, Laura Jane, Carol, and Lizzie get ready for a rousing cheer during time out.

# Cheerleaders enliven an eventful year

Nine girls in the traditional red and white uniforms, well supplied with pep and vitality, have devoted full time to the often thankless job of cheerleading. Through their hard work, loyalty, and enthusiasm, they have boosted the school spirit at South and sparked the Sabres on to victory.

The time-consuming responsibilities of the cheerleaders began in the summer and are continued throughout the year: painting posters, innovating cheers, practicing old ones, making announcements, sponsoring Spirit Week, and planning ingenious pep rallies are included in their many activities.

Under the leadership of the co-heads, Aleanne Faires and Melanie Merriam, the cheerleaders have not only cheered our team to victory, but also devoted their time to other facets of service at South.

Co-head Melanie Merriam exemplifies spirit of South's cheerleaders.

Cheerleaders line-up for an encore at the state finals.

Cheerleaders concentrate on an intricate play.

**Advisors:** Mrs. Barentine, Miss Overcash.

S. Starnes, R. Baigas, C. Williams, P. Myers, L. Betts, C. Hudman, L. Baigas; **Seated:** M. Merriam, A. Faires, Co-heads.

Aleanne never loses her smile.

Lettergirls Jenny Franks, Janet Fitch, and Tina Austin watch as their cohorts, the cheerleaders, lead a seventh period pep rally.

Head lettergirl, Sheila Chamberlin, leads the way in the Carrousel Parade.

# High-stepping Sabres set lively tempo

It was a common, but inspiring, sight when seven lettergirls, decked in red and white, with pom-poms to match, charged onto the field at half-time, leading our outstanding band. The girls' monograms spelled SABRES, while their enthusiasm denoted true spirit. Constant and determined practice was required to perfect their intricate routines, but in addition to marching with the band, they served as a vibrant cheering section at varsity basketball games. All efforts were rewarded with an exceptional year for our lettergirls.

Betty Blanton, Juanita Hudman, and Patty Rhyne practice part of their drill routine.

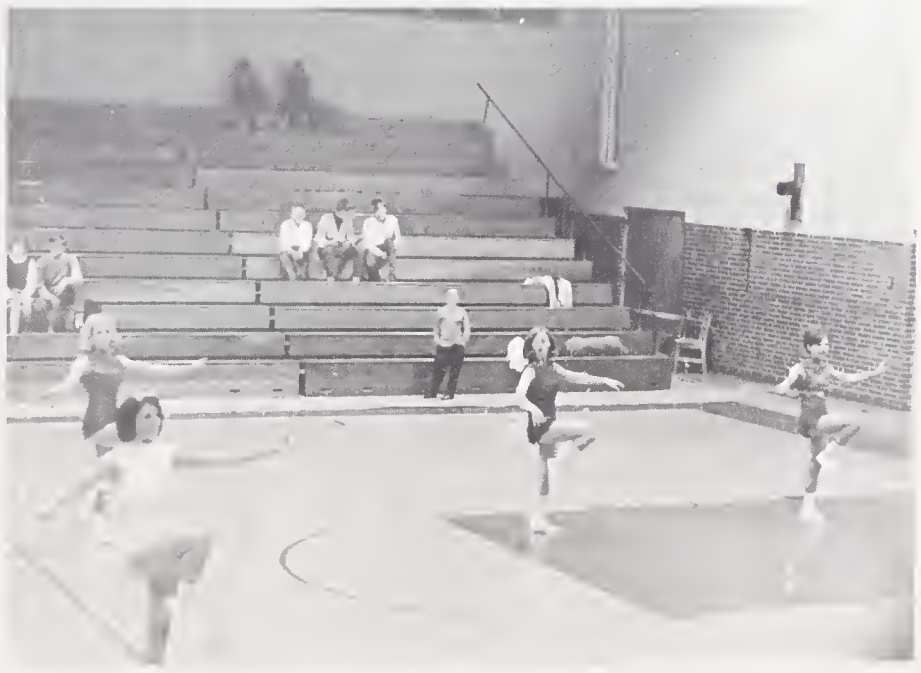
Lettergirls add spark and originality to half-time shows.

S. Lewis, D. Royal, S. Schultz, K. Kille, N. Wean, M. Glenham, C. Smith, F. King, D. Marrow.

# Sabrettes display beauty and skill

Winner of many awards for her twirling ability, Nancy Wean exhibits the talent that led to her selection as head majorette.

Expertise of Sabrettes hypnotizes basketball fans during halftime.



Sabrettes are a welcome change of pace at basketball games.

South's majorettes, the Sabrettes, added much to South's marching band by their fine showing at the halftime shows at football games. The Sabrettes also performed at home basketball games and regional tournaments. The Sabrettes' near-excellence was achieved by practices beginning last June and the expert guidance of co-heads Nancy Wean and Kerry Kille.

# J.V. Cheerleaders exude school spirit

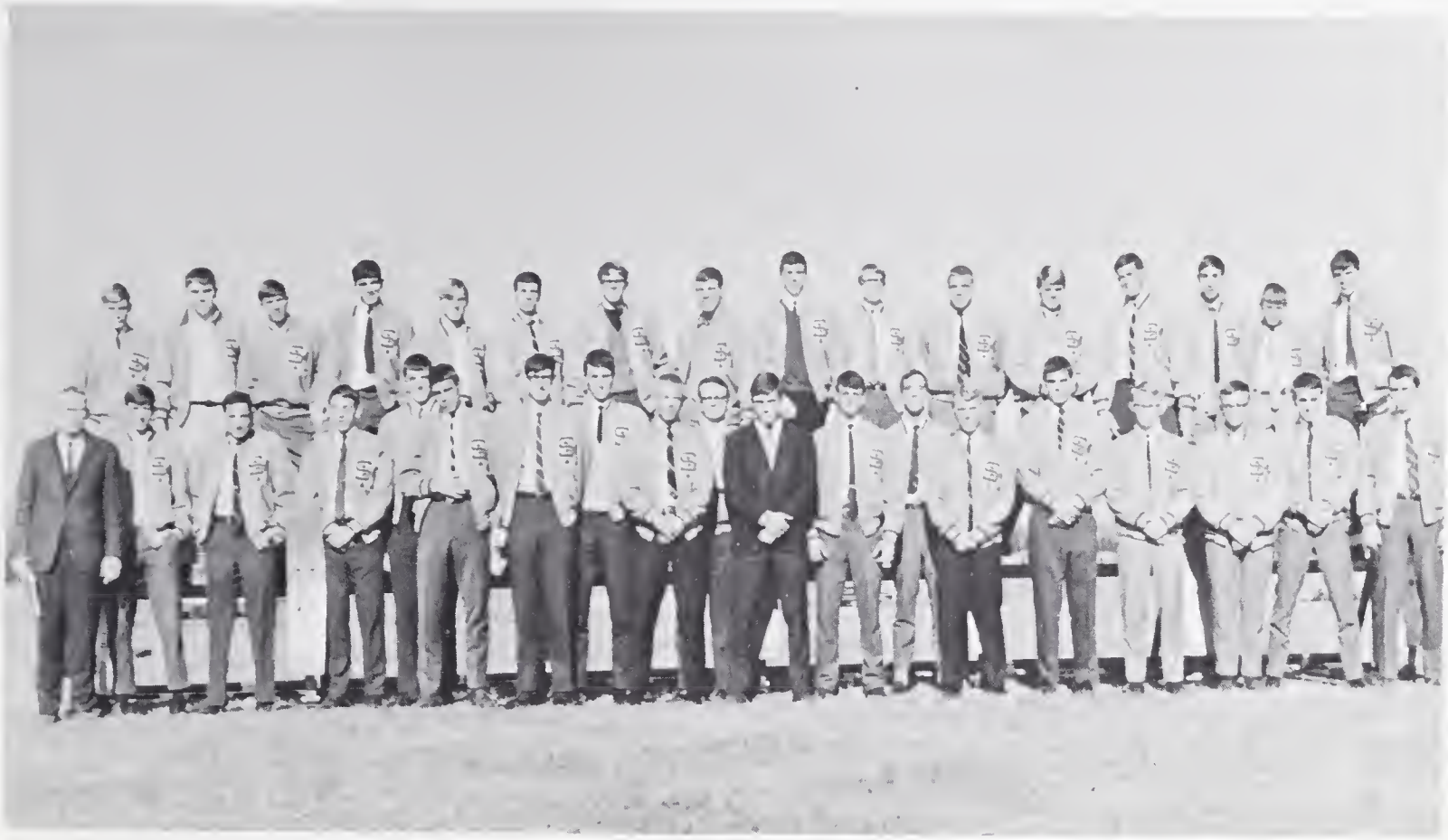
D. Kendall, J. Owens, L. Bowden, D. Moore, head, J. Milam, D. Keith, K. Rambo.

Beaming J.V. cheerleaders share their spirit with the soccer team.

Each year seven envied sophomore girls are chosen to be the understudies of South's cheerleaders. The job provides experience at a difficult task, but it also provides a pleasant outlet for the girls' ever present enthusiasm. This year the girls were permitted to cheer for a varsity sport, soccer, for the first time. The J.V. cheerleaders have successfully boosted the spirit of the team and spectators alike.

Cheering understudies back up J.V. basketball team.

# Sabres' elite continue service off the field



**Front Row:** Mr. Boger, advisor; J. Goodnight, M. Levin, D. Shockley, A. Ramey, K. Jones, L. Booth, D. Bittinger, T. Klosterman, C. Reed, A. Guggenheim, B. Nelson, C. Eaker, B. West, B. Wall, J. Langley, M. Harris, W. Doster, T. Mole; **Second Row:** S. Gillen, R. Hoppe, P. Wilson, R. Elkins, B. Zachary, M. Vaden, R. Dickson, J. Henkel, S. Fisher, T. LeGrone, J. Baker, J. Harvey, R. Autrey, R. Shapiro, M. Johnson, J. Hamilton.

The Monogram Club provides janitorial service for all home basketball games.

Lettermen stay busy selling concessions during sports events.

The Monogram Club gives the athletically inclined student a chance to serve his school. Those lettermen who join the organization aid at athletic events by handling the ticket sales, running the concession stand, and cheering on South's teams. This year the Monogram Club again sponsored the high-spirited Student-Faculty basketball game and collected money to aid the United States Olympic Team. The members all carry on the high tradition of service and athletics at South.

**First Row:** P. McClain, G. Wright, S. Iorgov, M. Deritis, L. Fesperman, L. Fesperman; **Second Row:** J. McPolend, C. McCoy, V. Hill, P. Bookout, B. Benjaminson, J. Wagener, R. McArn; **Third Row:** M. Parker, S. Rebun, C. Smith, W. Porter, L. Cobb; **Fourth Row:** S. Riggins, K. Burns, C. Ward, G. White; **Fifth Row:** V. Craemer, D. Hart, T. Gainey, S. Helms, M. Duffy, Mrs. Barentine, advisor; Miss Overcash, advisor.

# G.A.A. coordinates mental and physical activity

Exercise from sports like field hockey keeps the girls in shape.

The emphasis this year for the G.A.A. is definitely on strengthening the club, and with the call for interested recruits, came a sizable increase in membership. The newcomers were soon informed of the group's fundamental objective, that is, developing a friendly competitive spirit through athletics. Their sportsmanship is carried over into the other aspects of school life through service functions such as selling T-shirts and sweatshirts. Determination is the key to success that makes the Girls' Athletic Association a prominent part of South's activities.

Shay Helms, president of the G.A.A., discusses the addition of a feminine touch to athletics.

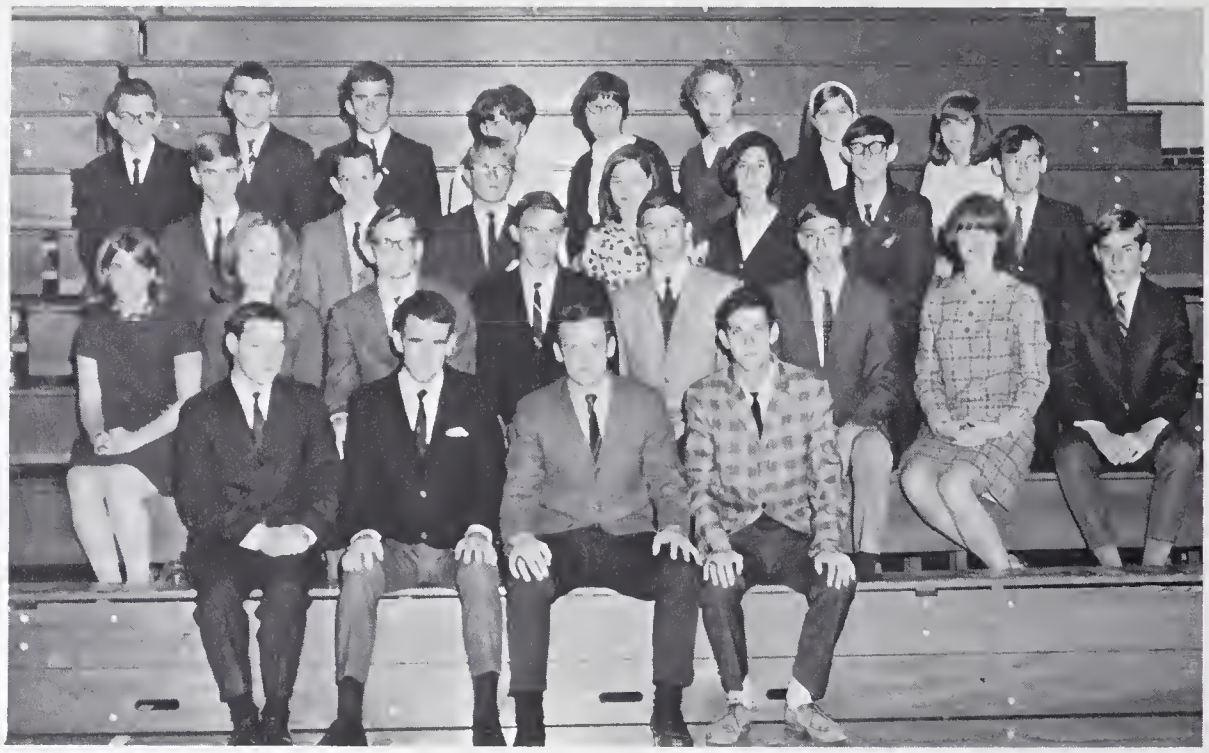
3:25 approaching, Donna McCormick anticipates the arrival of her familiar throng of passengers.

Despite the constant increase of auto accidents each year, South Mecklenburg bus drivers have consistently turned in outstanding records of safe and courteous driving. In addition, they carefully operate on a punctual schedule to eliminate all possible inconvenience for their passengers. The drivers have accepted a big responsibility and should be admired for the conscientious way in which they have performed. Mr. Emerson, the school's bus system director, can be justly proud of the 1967-68 staff of the Bus Drivers' Club, for it is a true service club in that they provide a necessary service every school day - rain or shine.

# Bus Drivers' Club stays on the move

**Front Row:** P. Banks, J. Poetzch, R. Schnupper, D. Norman, E. Rankin, S. Koob, R. Jones, M. Davis, J. Hamilton, R. Baker, S. Ardrey, J. Ragon, J. Edwards, J. Smith; **Second Row:** R. Straple, G. Mullis, J. Bailes, D. McGarity, S. Mueller, M. Cavallone, E. Rankin, D. Allen, J. Jones, G. Acker, S. McGinn, B. Allen, G. Prillaman, P. Norby, J. Gaithwright, D. Boyd, M. Helms, C. Taylor, M. Eller; **Third Row:** J. Nesbit, T. Van Dyke, A. Hunt, T. White, R. Romeis, B. Gubar, T. Stewart, D. McKenzie, M. Ellington, R. Van Dyke, T. Trull, G. Sims, B. Dulin, A. Davis, M. Rae, D. Burns, D. Lakeman; **Fourth Row:** R. Satterfield, T. Andreas, V. Schliestett, L. Otey, D. McCormick, B. Lockwood, S. Millbern, P. Parker, L. Southerland, P. Kell, D. McCormick, S. Dewey, J. Cox, L. Ladd, C. Teal, P. Whitley, M. Hrabanek, L. Harton, B. Reid, A. Squires.

# Young Americans are where the action is



**Front Row:** Mr. Jones, advisor; W. Doster, J. Mills, B. Bateman; **Second Row:** P. Fadero, C. Hawkins, M. Surrat, T. Atkinson, S. Fisher, R. Shapiro, J. Seymour, T. Patton; **Third Row:** G. Hinson, G. Montezinos, D. King, N. Allen, B. Howell, L. Booth, W. Koons; **Fourth Row:** D. Montezinos, B. Nelson, B. Berrgrov, G. Crawford, P. Williams, K. Campbell, C. Gallant, S. Overcarsh.

Mr. Lynn Parker's informative shibboleth captivates Young Americans at their banquet in the S & W.

Remaining unbiased about America's position in world affairs, the Young Americans have kept informed about current events and discussed diverse opinions. Substantially increasing understanding of present issues, Mr. Lynn G. Parker presented facts and personal knowledge. Later, Judge Williard Gatling spoke on community affairs. Taking polls on controversial subjects, the club members' project, provided an interesting insight into student views.

Young Americans acquire a worldly interest.

Front Row: J. Johnston, G. Thornton, S. Case, D. Braddon, D. Wilson; Second Row: Mr. Allen, advisor; T. Olsen, M. Daniel, J. Eversole, M. Bain, M. Turner; Third Row: S. Drye, J. Spoon, J. Stacy, J. Hock; Fourth Row: C. Carriker, G. Davis, P. Whitley, D. Deal; Fifth Row: D. Monroe, J. Lewis, R. Roberson, S. Meachum; Sixth Row: K. Smith.

Mr. Allen and President Robin Roberson discuss her latest creation, a wall hanging.

# Future looks bright for Sabre artists

These girls' creativity doesn't seem hampered in the least by their ever present chattering.

South's many students skilled in the diverse mediums of art formed this year's Art Club. The organization has fostered creativity and promoted, through exhibits, an appreciation of their art. The Art Club is fortunate to be advised by Mr. Robert Allen, one of the most skilled and knowledgeable of North Carolina's art teachers.

Front Row: Mrs. Peek, advisor; T. Simmons, S. Boudousquie, J. Fleck, J. Cox, M. Underwood, P. Hammel, M. Gardner, B. Greene, Miss Jackson, advisor; Second Row: M. Newton, W. McClure, S. Graham, D. Moore, P. Major, B. Huntley, L. Bushong, B. Edwards, J. Stanford, P. Fadero, T. Austin, S. Shultz, K. Black, C. Linthicum, S. Turner, B. Strawn; Third Row: M. Hancock, L. Cobb, M. Ferguson, B. Heffner, F. Dill, W. Downer, P. Park, D. Partridge, J. Rinaldi, D. Lawing, B. Giles, L. Huckstep, M. Hartley, C. Wells, R. Dees; Fourth Row: D. Schaffer, L. Clark, N. Vaughn, C. Earthman, C. Bishop, J. McPoland, R. Pheifer, R. Stikeleather, V. Bennet, T. Olsen, N. Seymour, K. Schneider, D. Cappelli; Fifth Row: L. Olive, K. McClure, K. Bramhall, J. Edwin, S. Hinson, C. Viles, S. Bridges, N. Weir, L. Moore, P. Dennis, P. Wilson, P. James, J. Peyton, M. Matthews, D. Wilson.

# Today's F.H.A. forms tomorrow's housewives

Future homemakers enjoy staying abreast of the fashions, periodically producing an up-to-date display.

The FHA is an influential institution fostering the creative homemakers of tomorrow. At monthly meetings the girls learn the art of being a successful lady of the house and a satisfying wife. Speakers often add to the ideas that the girls will employ in future life. Personal achievements are highlighted in work toward chapter and state awards. A state convention is held in Raleigh to reward the girls' ambition, and with this yearly meeting comes a correlation of statewide ideas.

Watermelons add to the fun of a monthly meeting.

F. T. A. advisors contribute free time and energy.

Future teachers can explore the aspects of their upcoming career by being a member of the Future Teachers of America. Beginning this year by attending a convention in Raleigh at N.C. State University, the girls became more familiar with teaching as a vocation. During the spring the girls showed their appreciation of the teachers with a complimentary tea.

Tomorrow's teachers explore the view from the other side of the desk.

# F.T.A. members look at education from a new viewpoint

**First Row:** C. Heaven, W. McClure, S. Helms, M. Hrabanek, C. Horner, M. Bishop, B. Green; **Second Row:** M. Glenham, D. Spoor, D. Salzer, L.J. Baigas, R. Price, M. Duffy; **Third Row:** S. Estes, L. Southerland, C. Harrelson; **Fourth Row:** C. Moorefield, B. Strawn, P. Gainey; **Standing:** Mrs. Jones, Miss Smith.

# Business organizations supply training ground for future demand

**Front Row:** D. Lawing, B. Giles, B. Helfner, secretary; D. Moore, president; S. Schultz, vice president; **Second Row:** S. Case, K. Cook, R. Barkley, J. Stanford, P. Major; **Third Row:** D. Martin, D. Bodenheimer, K. Sitten, D. Thomas; **Standing:** Mrs. Gorham, advisor.

The Business Club has enjoyed a rush of informative speakers this year — the home economics teacher spoke about dress and its relation to business; a cosmetic representative showed a film and spoke of the glowing future of cosmetology; and Miss Mecklenburg reported on various business colleges in an attempt to acquaint members with business opportunities. Interesting guest speakers and extracurricular projects provide an extra familiarity with business practices.

By incorporating academic study with job opportunities, the Distributive Education Club introduces its members to the world of business. Job application, advertising and salesmanship are studied in D.E. Under the leadership of the officers, students discuss economics, business psychology, and public speaking. This year's members gained experience by peddling pecan rolls and fruitcakes to their neighbors.

Seated: Mrs. Grier, advisor; P. Baity, J. Hager, S. Wamsley, L. Perry, R. Currier; Standing: T. Caddell, G. Gill, S. Redden, S. Fincher, M. Horne, N. Coleman, P. West, J. Catoe, B. Vance, S. Heavener, J. Neighbors, D. Robinson, V. Potts, M. Dunlap, D. Baker, S. Cook, B. Millen, J. Harrison, L. Parks, M. Walden, D. McCarver, L. Horne.

P. Adkins, P. Reeves, Mrs. Livingston, J. Emrie, Mrs. Hollingsworth, G. Bender, C. Earthman, K. Bender.

# Refined tastes find a place in activities

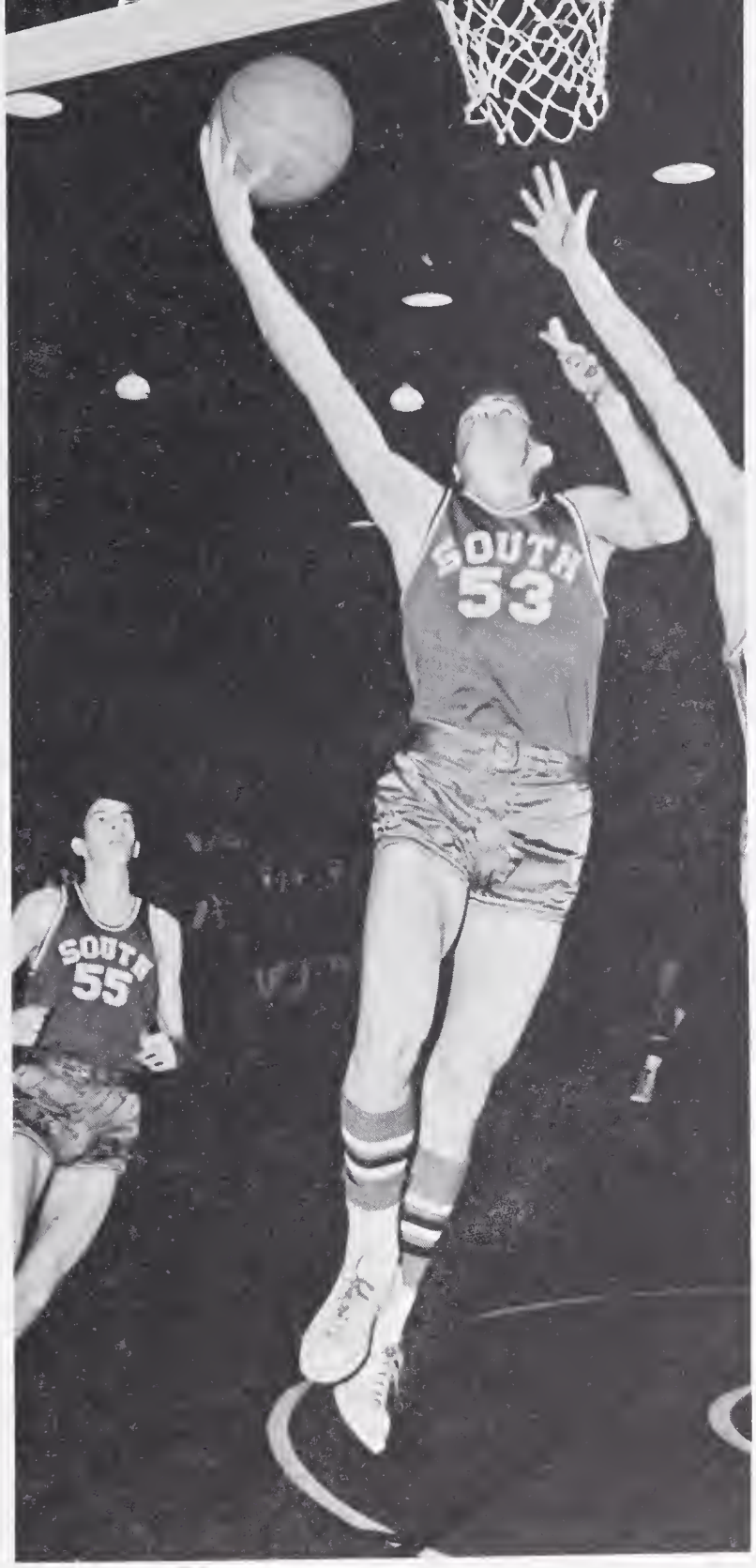
To make the illiterate and not-so-literate students at South knowledgeable and cultured readers is the goal of the Good Books Club. This purpose is achieved at monthly meetings as they discuss the great works of literature. By discussing the books the club members develop an insight into the fine arts. As well as enriching its members, it promotes a well-read student body by operating a bookstore.

South's new interest in an old game led to the organization of the Chess Club this October. Although the scores may not indicate it, the members show good potential accompanied by a determination to win.

Perhaps next year's more experienced members will climb from last place. The new Chess Club was headed by Doug Agnew, president; Don Rogers, vice-president; and Steve Buntin, secretary-treasurer.

**Standing:** M. Cavallone, R. Jackson, R. Welch, D. Crawford, M. Mariette, F. Coates, H. LeBlanc, J. Wagoner, R. Osborne, C. Adkins, J. Gathright; **Seated:** D. Agnew, D. Naples, C. Gallant, R. Cook.

# Sports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# South grid heroes fight their way to state finals

**Front row:** Brad Veselick; Willie West; Joe Baker; Steve Chapman, tri-capt.; Bryan Wall, tri-capt.; Allan Guggenheim, tri-capt.; Terry Klosterman; Dick Simmonds; Jeff Langley. **Second row:** Bob Patten, Head Coach; Walter Spearman, Head Mgr.; Mike Irwin; Ray Brown; Trippy Washburn; Mike Helms; Bill Pieper; David Williams; Mark Pederson; Frank Patterson; Bill Megginson, Asst. Coach. **Third row:** Charles Reed, Asst. Mgr.; George Beaty; Gary Helton; Wes Hege; Bruce Fernie; Mike Harris; Bob Reed; Bill Nelson; David McFall; Stan Campbell; Asst. Mgr. **Fourth row:** Skeet Harris; Bill Morrison; Ronnie Smith; Artie Knighten; Robert Hoppe; Sandy Carnegie; Brek Cunningham; Barry Steiger; Fred Boger, Asst. Coach; Mal Wall, Asst. **Fifth row:** Frank Redd; Chuck Rogers; Jeff Henkel; Chippy Eaker; Ret Elliot; Steve Kerhoulas; Ray Bottoms; Steve Mueller.

The hiss of hot showers, the crunch of harsh contact, the muffled rustle of papers as forty young men commit to memory countless intricate plays, all these sounds have been very familiar to South Sabres, but happily, most familiar was the joyous shouting of victory. There was almost never the quiet shuffle of dejected feet or the silent pursing of lips in the renewed determination that comes with defeat.

And Sabre fans enjoyed many a sore throat giving South football players the encouraging sounds that followed to the state championship.

With only one tie and a single defeat in the regular season, the squad fought its way to the finals to sadly fall to Wilson.

We can truthfully say the 1967-68 Sabres have established a tradition that will warrant the student's support for years to come.

**Tri-captains:** Steve Chapman, Bryan Wall, and Alan Guggenheim.

Mike Harris leaps high for a Chapman pass.

Coach Patten's demand for precision is evident in the team's huddle.

Coach Patten paces the sidelines during the West Mecklenburg game.

Skeet Harris runs into stiff opposition against Brevard.

Garinger makes an unsuccessful attempt at blocking South's important extra point.

Jon Henkel kicks off for a Homecoming win.

Brad Veselick fails to stop a West Mecklenburg pass.

# Determined drive reaps a rewarding 9-2-1 season

Sabres put up a goal line stand against Wilson Fike for the championship.

Coach Patten gives Bryan Wall advice in the game against Garinger.

Alan Guggenheim takes time out to wave at Steve Chapman on the way to victory.

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| South | 20 | Harding | 20 |
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| South | 21 | Brevard | 12 |
| South | 20 | Independence | 7 |
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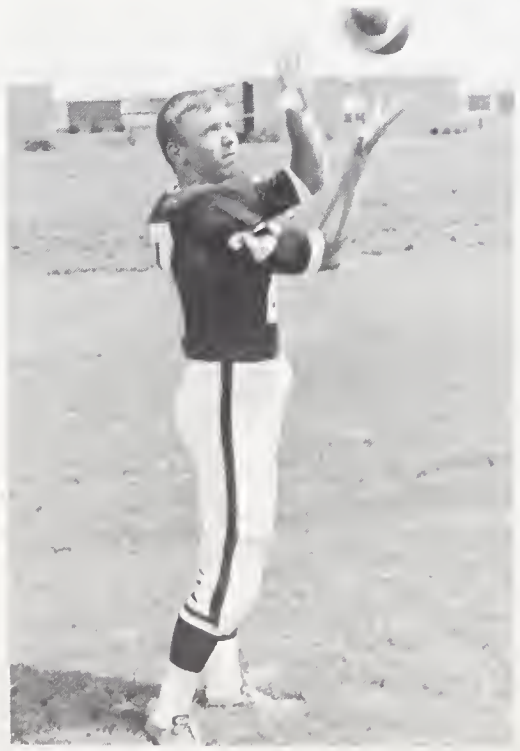

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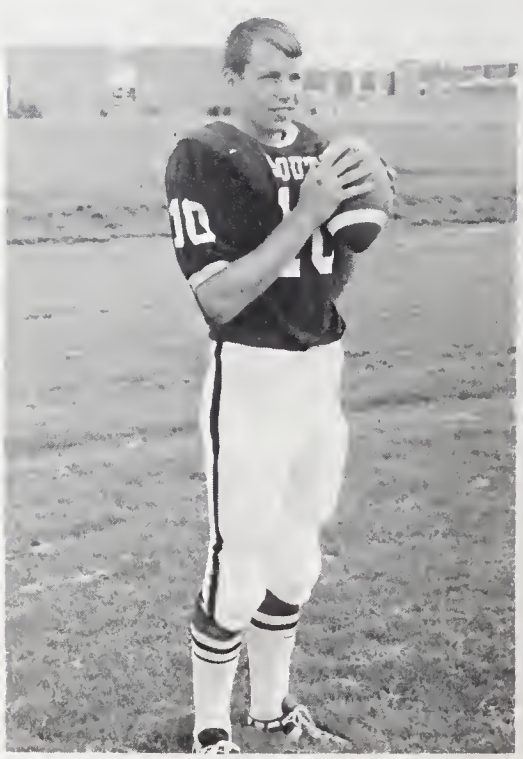
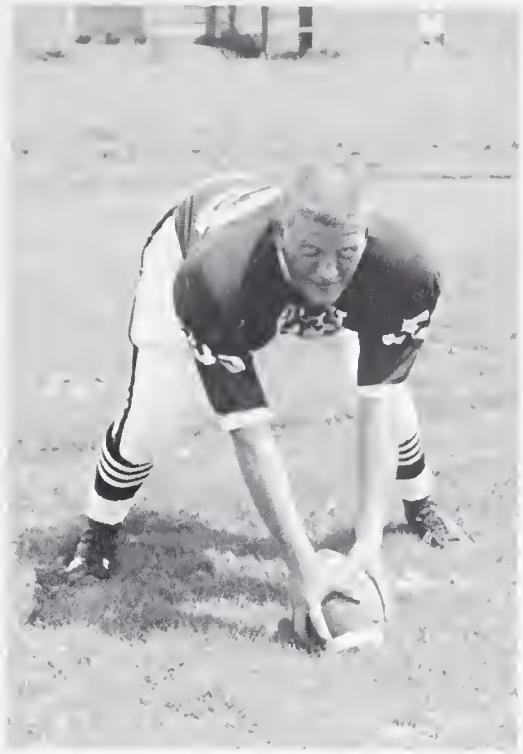


Steve Chapman

Trippy Washburn



Mike Helms

# Sabres consistently enjoy the sounds of victory

Chapman attempts to pass over the Brevard defenders.

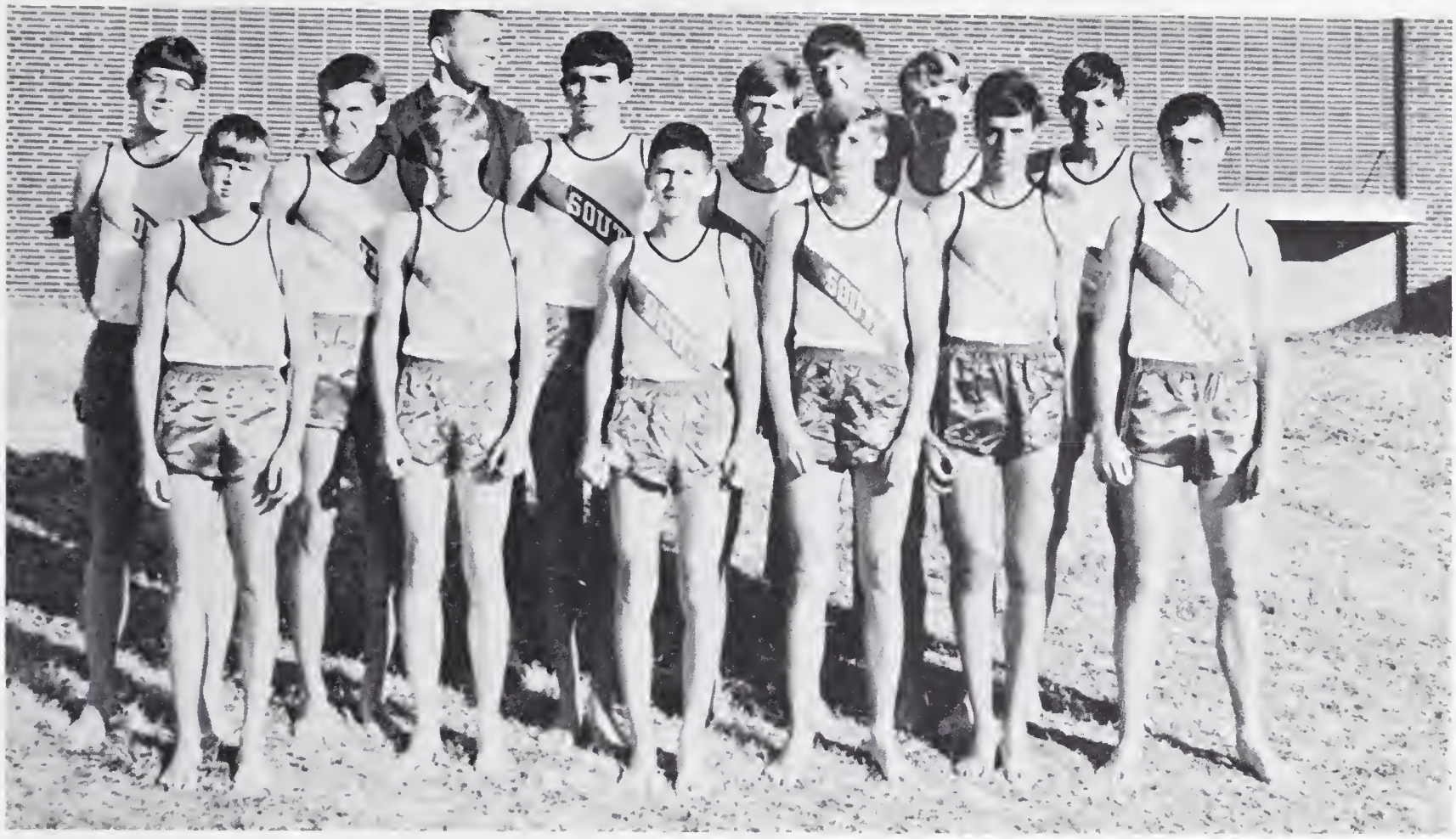
West Indians crowd Chapman as he runs around right end.

# Soccer team kicks off first varsity season

**Standing:** Coach Dennis Baldwin, Don Fisher, Mgr.; Tim Wilhelm, Vernon O'Daniel, Robert Brown, Daryl Graham, Craig MacDonald, Manny Taylor, Gene Hefner, Keith Olive, Ed Fowler, Paul Mariette, Jamie Delantonas, Mgr.; **Kneeling:** Tom Reider, Elmer Hilker, Jae Walden, James Manthos, Butch Koerner, Kenny Horton, Jerry Keil, Mike Davis, Hank Nichols, Robert Shapiro, Tom Keil, J.B. Reeves, Ed Femster; **Sitting:** Co-Captains, Bjorn Berggrav, Stewart Fisher.

The 1967-68 soccer team kicked off its first varsity year with an outstanding 7-4-1 seasonal record. With the expert coaching of a former Soccer All-American, Denny Baldwin, the team has started a fine tradition for future soccer squads. Another reason for the successful year was South's Norwegian exchange student, Bjorn Berggrav, who scored twenty-five of the team's forty-five goals. Most all games lost were very close contests including the sectional tournament, but next year experience may turn these into wins, earning South its rightful place in the sport.

# Harriers run to best season yet!



**First Row:** Mark Johnson, David Huss, Arch de Castrique, Brad Hammond, Greg Wire, Gary Stroud; **Second Row:** Richard Fort, Tommy Mole, Richard Elkins, Jae Walden, Jim Harvie, David Ray; **Top Row:** Coach Baldwin, Mgr. Don Fisher.

Co-captains Tommy Mole and Rick Elkins show their form.

Under the expert guidance of Coach Denny Baldwin, the South cross country team made a startling comeback from last year's thirteenth place finish in the state meet. Losing only to a strong Myers Park team, the Sabres completed the regular season with a record of 23-1, better than that of any previous South team. After placing second in the conference meet and third in the sectional meet, the Harriers went to Chapel Hill and captured an easy fifth place finish.

The captain and lone senior on the team, Tommy Mole, and junior co-captain Rick Elkins, along with David Rey, Gary Stroud, and Mark Johnson carried the squad through the eight-week season. In a five-school meet at Olympic all five runners placed in the top eight finishers. With the loss of only one senior and the constantly improving running of Rick Elkins, the cross country men should be an even stronger team next season.

# Sabres rebound to winning season

**Front Row:** Kirby Jones, Andy Ramey, Bobby Jones, Tom Wicker, Mike Vaden. **Second Row:** Herman Howell, Mgr.; Jon Eaker, Mgr.; Jimmy Shaw, Mike Cassel, Wes Hege, Steve Henderson, Skeet Harris, Dee Jones, Greg Ledford, Mike Rea, Mgr.; Dave Price, Head Coach.

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| South | 56 | Garinger | 67 |
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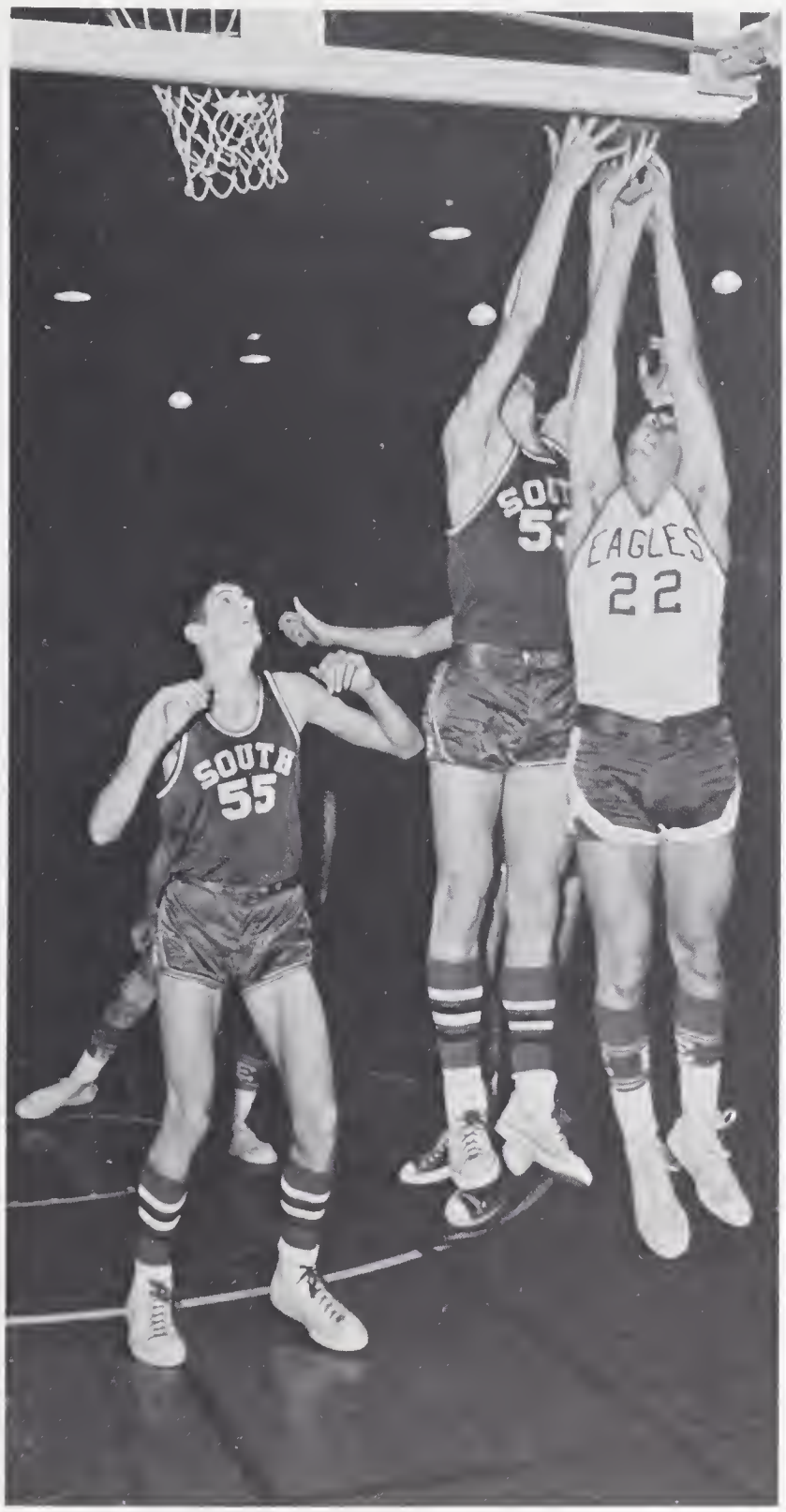
Captain Kirby Jones and Coach Dave Price.

# Cager's determination pays off




Sabres battle for rebound.

Swish!

Seniors check in at the scorer's table.

# South bounces back

TWO!

"Sabre-Wing" Jones flies high.

Wicker cans one from the foul line.

Bobby Jones stretches for the tip-off.

From a nearly disastrous season last year, the varsity basketball team has risen to a winning season in '68. Led by senior co-captains Kirby Jones and Tom Wicker, this year's Sabres have acquired a reputation for aggressive play and great team co-operation and spirit. In addition to Jones and Wicker, the starting five consisted of seniors Mike Vaden and Andy Ramey along with the 6'6" sophomore Bobby Jones. Ramey was the most improved player this year coming back strong from a knee injury last year. Hitting from the inside and rebounding aggressively Ramey and Bobby Jones accounted for several crucial wins. But all the power was not under the boards, guards Mike Vaden and Kirby Jones hit consistently from the outside with Jones ending his three year career at South in a 40 point output against Independence.

Players crowd around Coach Price for encouragement during time out.

| Name | FG | FT | RB | TP | P. AVG. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kirby Jones | 132 | 81-128 | 141 | 345 | 19.2 |
| Andy Ramey | 72 | 57-97 | 238 | 201 | 11.2 |
| Mike Vaden | 56 | 32-45 | 87 | 144 | 8 |
| Bobby Jones | 64 | 33-63 | 220 | 161 | 10.7 |
| Skeet Harris | 14 | 10-13 | 36 | 38 | 3.2 |

Vaden watches as teammate drives for two.

# Sabre drive brings winning season

Vaden lays in two against Olympic.

Steve Henderson

Kirby Jones

Andy Ramey

Mike Vaden

Jimmy Shaw

# Grapplers pinned with 3-7 season.

**Front Row:** Arch de Castrique, Brek Cunningham, Robert Hoppe, Joe Baker, Co-Captain; Bob Zachary, Co-Captain; Tom Lowery, Bruce Fernie, Mark Johnson. **Second Row:** Steve Chesnut, Hank Nichols, Hank Wall, Jimmy Largen, Andy Turner, Bret Eastman, Alan Dieffenbach, Jack Ingersoll, Taylor LeGrone. **Third Row:** Coach Patten, Mike Davis, Manager; Max Erb, George Beatty, Bill Pieper.

Robert Hoppe gains riding time against his West Mecklenburg opponent.

Joe Baker grimly sizes up his opponent in the preliminaries to an important bout.

Grapplers climb toward improvement.

The wrestling team's meager 3-7 record is hardly representative of its true ability. The grapplers put forth immeasurable effort in preparation: climbing ropes, lifting weights, slaving for hours at back breaking exercises, in addition to the wrestler's constant problem - dieting to keep within tight weight limits. The boys were coached by Mr. Patten and led through their paces by senior co-captains Bob Zachary and Joe Baker. They worked hard, but the victories they deserved seldom crystallized. The season had its moments though - - 210 pound junior Robert Hoppe pinned a 285 pound Harding wrestler. Judging from Robert's outstanding 8-2 record, we can expect a lot from him next year. Co-captain Joe Baker turned in a fine year, too, leading the team with a 7-1-1 record. In one match Joe pinned his Hunter Huss opponent in an amazing time of 13 seconds. Having only three seniors, Tommy Lowery and the co-captains, the team is young and will hopefully rebound, with new experience, to a fine year in 1969.

Tommy Lowery

Bob Zachary

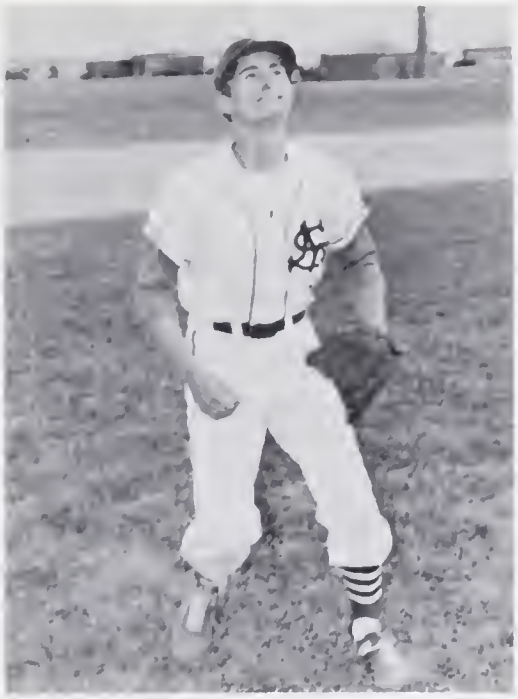
Joe Baker

Bottom Row: Roy Stewart, Mgr.; Tommy Van Dyke; Butch Koerner; Ray Peck; Pat Banks; Alec Alexander; David Ray; George Beaty. Second Row: Bob Gubar, Mgr.; Skeet Harris; Richie Tatum; Trippy Washburn; Sammy Gianopulos; Mike Clark; Mike Vaden; Steve Morris; Wes Hege. Third Row: Fred Boger, Coach; Robert Shoaf; Jeff Henkel; Gary Reavis; Bruce Fernie; Thomas Hall; Mike Cassel; Bruce Cox; David McFall.

# Baseball team rebuilding, expects good season anyway

Even though Coach Boger lost many players from last year, he is expecting a good season for the baseball team. Seniors Tom Van Dyke, Trippy Washburn, Richie Tatum, Pat Banks, and Mike Vaden are returning to play along side excellent junior prospects Skeet Harris, Mike Clark, Ray Peck, Sam Gianopulos, Wes Hege, and Bruce Fernie. These boys should add a great deal to this year's team as well as next year's.

Coach Boger

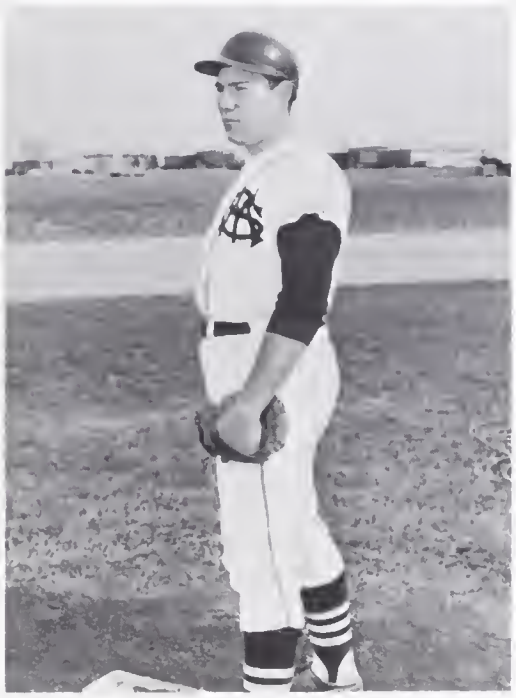


Richie Tatum

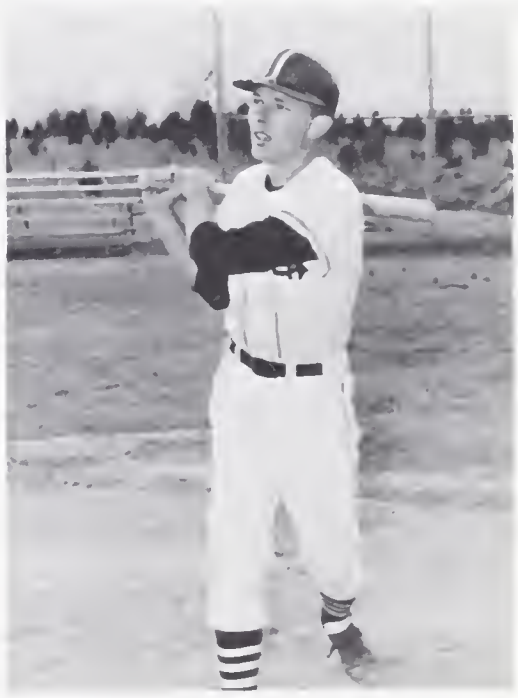
Mike Vaden

# Seniors add consistency

Pat Banks



Trippy Washburn



Tommy Van Dyke

Slugger!

# Track team runs for record season

The '67—'68 squad plans on running down the opposition.

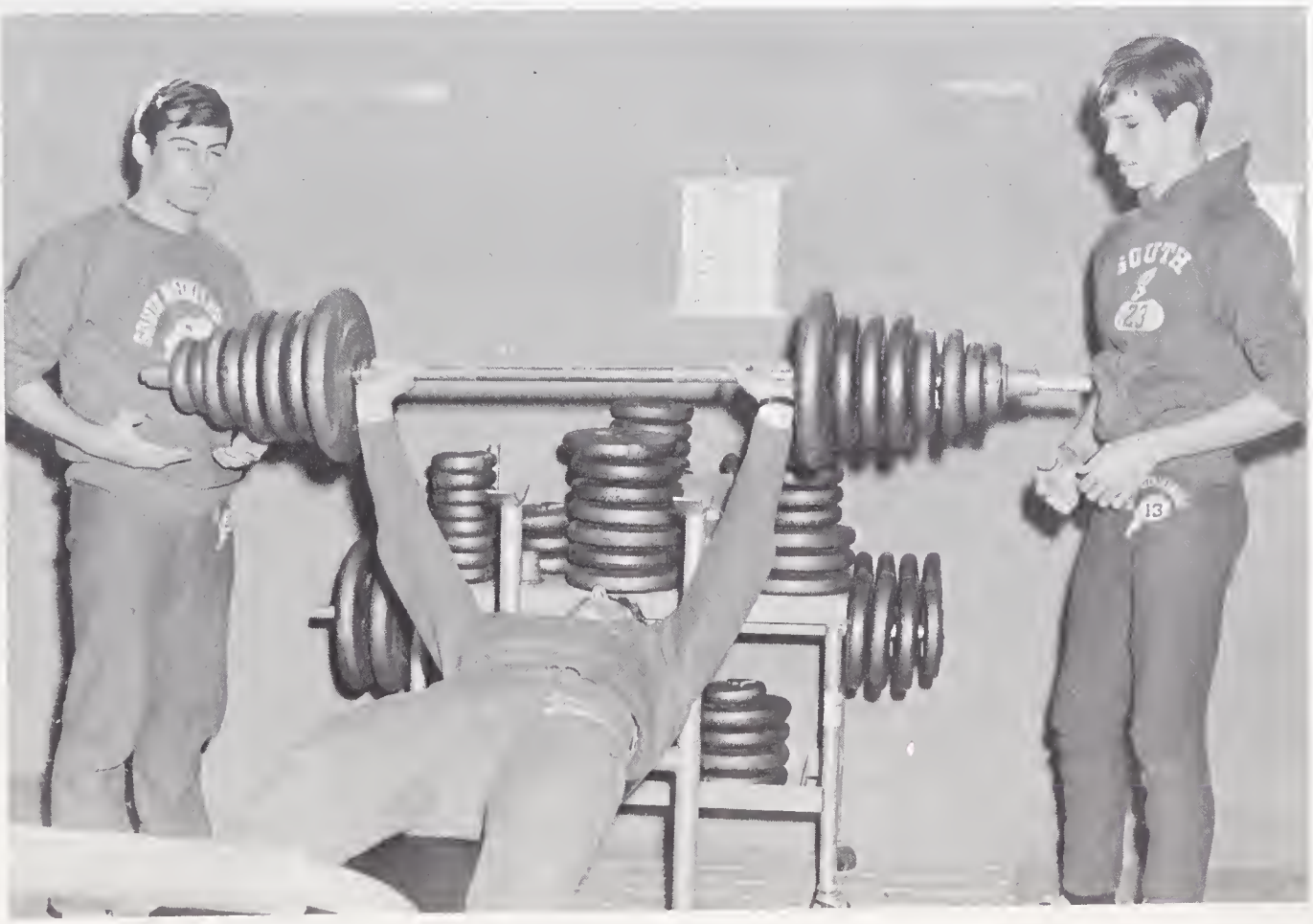
Hurdlers Robert Jones and Steve Koob stretch their muscles.

Last year's track team, with a record comparable to the best South has ever had, has many juniors who are returning as seniors to carry much of the load in 1968. An assault on the 440 record will come from David Shockley and Alan Guggenheim. Tommy Mole will be aiming for the 880 record. Sophomores and juniors should be prominent also; Rick Elkins in the mile along with Brad Beselick and Sandy Carnigie in field events. With such vast resources Coach Herndon should be able to take the track men to another winning season.

Sprinting up hills increases stamina for 400 meter ace David Shockley.

Distance men Jae Walden and Dirk Bittinger pause during track practice.

Half-milers run wild on campus.



Exchange student Bjorn Berggrav toughens up for the shot-put.

# Tennis team to net victory

'68 Tennis Team

The tennis team enjoys excellent prospects for the upcoming season since five talented netters are returning to play for Coach Kilday. Kirby Jones went to the state play-offs as a junior last year and comes back this year as captain to lead experienced juniors Miles Levin, Duffy Robbins, Milton Martin and Bill Standish. Among the newer members of the squad is Andy Turner who will hopefully be a helpful addition. Last year's young team, now more aged in the ways of the game, should have some of the best seasons in South's history.

Coach Kilday and Captain Kirby Jones look forward to an exceptional season this spring.

Andy Ramey, Steve Gillen, Rod Autrey, George Acker, Greg Ledford.

# Golf team swings

Returning seniors take advantage of a warm spring day to prepare for the coming golf season.

In its bid for the state championship this year, the golf team is led by seniors Andy Ramey, Steve Gillen and Rod Autrey. Returning from last year's team are also two talented juniors — Greg Ledford and George Acker. Under Mr. Garringer's guidance the boys are looking forward to an outstanding year.

Swimmers practice starts in order to cut off invaluable seconds of their time.

# Swimming team pools resources

In its second year of existence, the swimming team stroked past its limited capacity of last year. Led by award-winner Robbie Dickson, the team attended the East Carolina Invitational Tournament and finished seventh in a field of twenty-two competing teams. John Dentler, team captain, and Coach Baldwin constantly worked the team at the Y.M.C.A. pool in a sincere effort to provide an outstanding team.

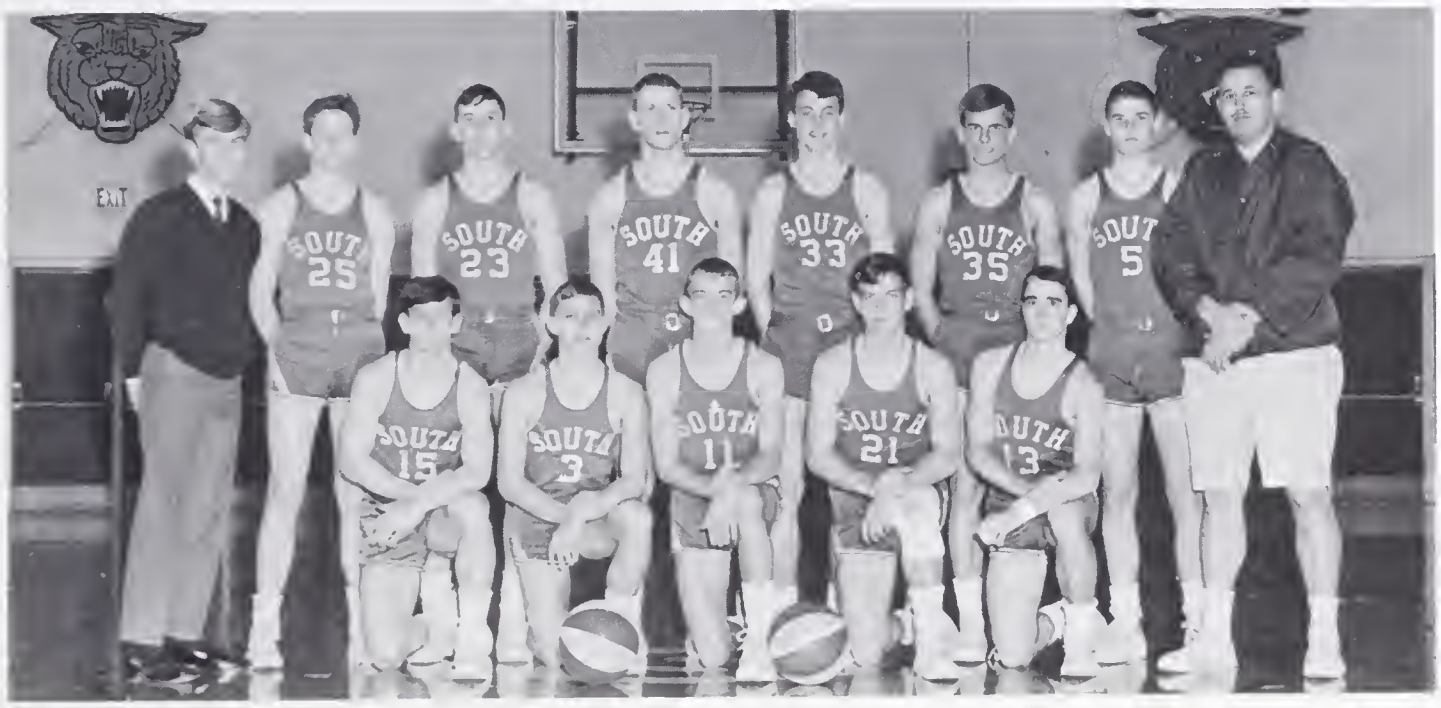
Robbie Dickson continues his assault on the 50 meter backstroke record.

J. V. Sabres overcome the outstretched arms of the defense.

# J.V. cagers try harder

J. V. basketball's 5—12 record is hardly indicative of the team's potential. Top scorers were sophomores Jay Pennington and Rusty Kelly with games of 24 and 25 points, respectively. Team co-ordination was aided by co-captains Danny Burns and Mike Dover, and ball-handlers Frank Red and Jack Hobbs. With practice, good coaching, vehement spirit, and more experience, the team will rally to a comeback next year.

J. V. basketball team pauses between shots.



J. V. cagers utilize long-range shooting power.

# Sophomore Sabres post a winning season

Sabre cubs look forward to their varsity years.

Even though the junior varsity's emphasis this year was on rebuilding, the sophomore gridders managed to finish with a respectable 6-3 season. Their modest success, under the direction of Coach Price and Coach Herndon and capable co-captains Fudd Hayes and Jimmy Largen, will hopefully carry over into the varsity's coming year. Outstanding assets to the squad were leading scorer Brad Anderson with 27 points, and two energetic ground gainers, Dwight McGarity and Max Erbb.

South's Turner kills Independence drive with a jarring tackle.

# Baseball prodigies expect best season yet

J. V. sluggers.

Variety accents J. V. pitching staff.

The J. V. baseball squad has an excellent chance of winning the first trophy offered in the J. V. conference. Many sophomore players are coming from the Smith championship team that had a 12-1 record, along with the Quail Hollow players from a team also high in the standings. Strong pitching from Johnny Morris, Jay Pennington, and Chuck Rodgers, coupled with an exceptionally strong infield and outstanding hitting should yield a number one team.

# Features

Teresa Ferrer shares Chilean life with Jenny Franks, her American sister.

The Charlotte Exchange Student Program had two distinguished participants from South this year, John Beall and Paula Lombardi. The summer after their junior year found John in Santiago, Chile and put Paula in Copenhagen, Denmark, to learn about foreign culture first hand by living with their "summer families".

After careful screening, the families of Robert Shapiro and Libby Edwards were selected to host exchange students to South. Robert shared his home with Bjorn Berggrav from Sandvika, Norway. Bjorn's sparkling wit and friendly disposition vaulted the often imposing language barrier to make Bjorn one of our most popular seniors. Libby Edwards and her family hosted Michelle Picard from Luxembourg. Michelle, always eager to learn, to share her experiences, will be a fond memory for all who knew her.

Coming from John Beall's "home" in Santiago, Chile, Teresa Ferrer spent the first three months of 1968 with Jenny Franks. Teresa's trip was sponsored by International Star Youth in the spirit of international good will.

Paula and John point out their "Summer homes."

Michelle and Libby

Bjorn and Robert

# CESP dissolves cultural boundaries

Paula Lombardi relives her adventures in Copenhagen.

Scientific interest and ambitious intellect motivated five seniors from South to attend a summer program in specialized sciences. Sponsored by the National Science Foundation, the program supplemented facts with explicit explanation, while providing a preparation for work in college. Through exceedingly competitive selection, David Montezinos, Dirk Bittinger, and Bryson Bateman were able to attend Chapel Hill, Jenny Franks to attend Florida State, and David Durham to visit VPI. Both math and science courses were included in the scholastic programs and at the various schools, participants received a brief, but rewarding, sampling of college life.

Tar Heel Girls' State, sponsored by the North Carolina American League Auxiliary, is part of a nationwide study in democracy, which meets at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. This year's delegate was Margaret Nelson.

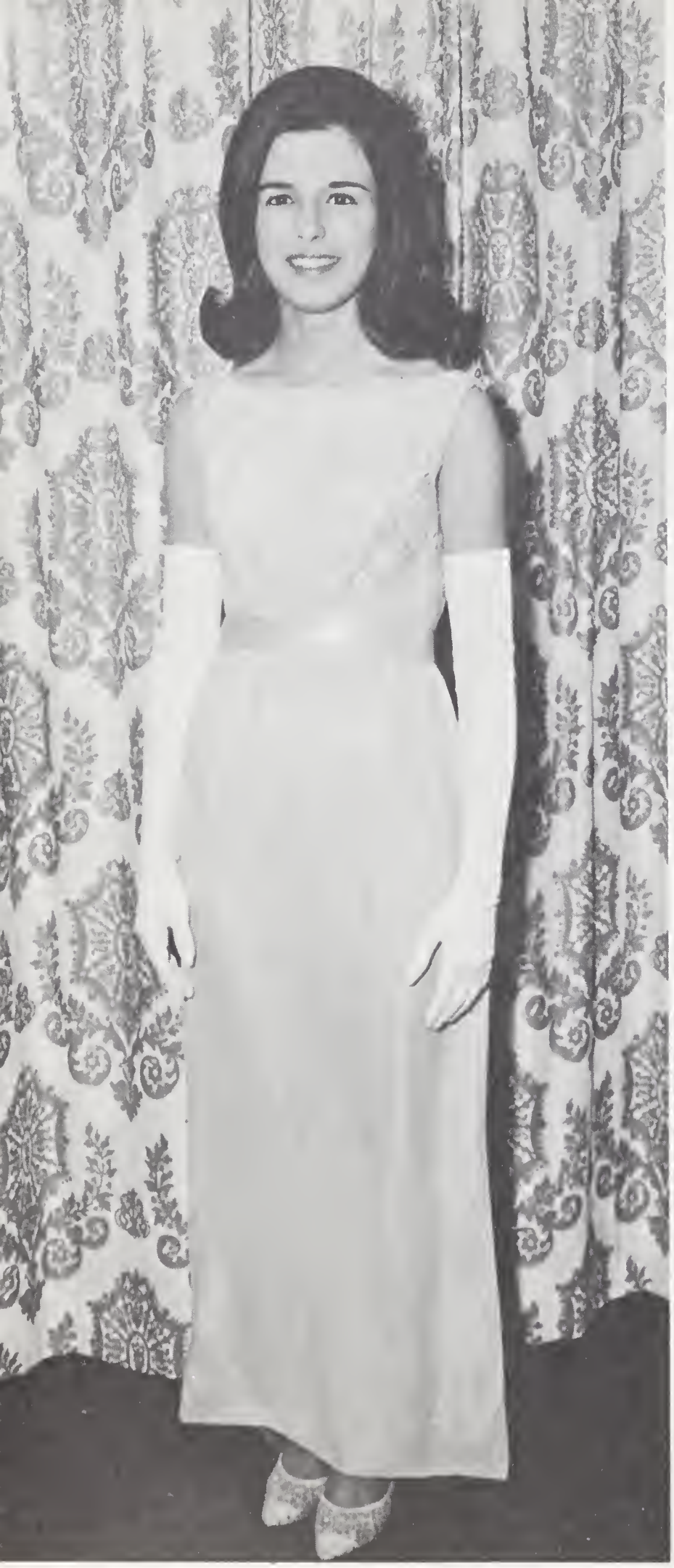
Boys' State, based on studies of American government and history and sponsored by the American Legion, meets at Wake Forest College. Representing South this year were John Renfro and Gary Williams.

# Sabres rewarded for varied talents

Last summer, Marsha Brissie was the only South student to attend Salem College campus in Winston-Salem to study violin intensively for seven weeks. The Governor's School of North Carolina is so highly selective that even after Marsha's preliminary acceptance, she was unsure of final acceptance. Marsha confessed that besides the violin study, the experience of independence was well worth the trip.

On the basis of her dependability, service, constructive leadership, and outstanding character, Miss Paula Lombardi was selected by the Senior Class and the faculty to receive the DAR Good Citizen Award for 1968. Miss Lombardi is an exceptional example of the high ideals we, here at South, are proud to honor.

Little Switzerland, North Carolina, housed seniors from throughout the state who were appointed representatives to Wild Acres. After nomination by Mr. Edmisten and careful selection by the Civitan Club, Vicki Geer, Vicky Schliestett, Mike Vaden, and John Dentler attended the conference, which emphasized human relations in today's troubled world. The informative group discussions were supplemented by social activities to provide a well-rounded and profitable experience for these deserving students.



Miss Cynthia Williams

## Senior Class Beauty

## Junior Class Beauty

Miss Marion Kinney

Miss Terri Coggin

# Sophomore Class Beauty

# Runners-Up

Miss Carol Hudman

Miss Dianna Davis

Miss Barbara Heckel

Miss Cynthia Williams glows as
1967 Homecoming Queen

Miss Williams begins her reign with a beaming smile and a bouquet of roses.

Anxious and happy sounds filled the night of October 21 a: South's homecoming crowds filled Myers Park Stadium to encourage the Sabres to a 21-12 romp over Brevard and to crown 1967's vivacious homecoming queen, Miss Cynthia Williams. Miss Williams, escorted by Mr. Tom Wicker and sponsored by Mr. Joe Baker, proudly accepted the crown from former queen Miss Barbara Thompson. Halftime festivities featured the music of South's talented marching band, directed by Mr. Rayfield Neel. The band promoted the theme "South High and All That Jazz" by forming a gigantic stereo on the field and playing a medley of popular songs.

After the victory the new queen began her reign by presiding at the reception where triumphant students and excited alumni and teachers danced to the sounds of the Stowaways. The many beautiful young ladies, the resounding victory, and the exceptional music made homecoming night stand out as a highlight of 1967 at South.

Spirits high, students dance to the tune of victory.

Tense homecoming crowd braves the cold to witness the 21-12 massacre over Brevard.

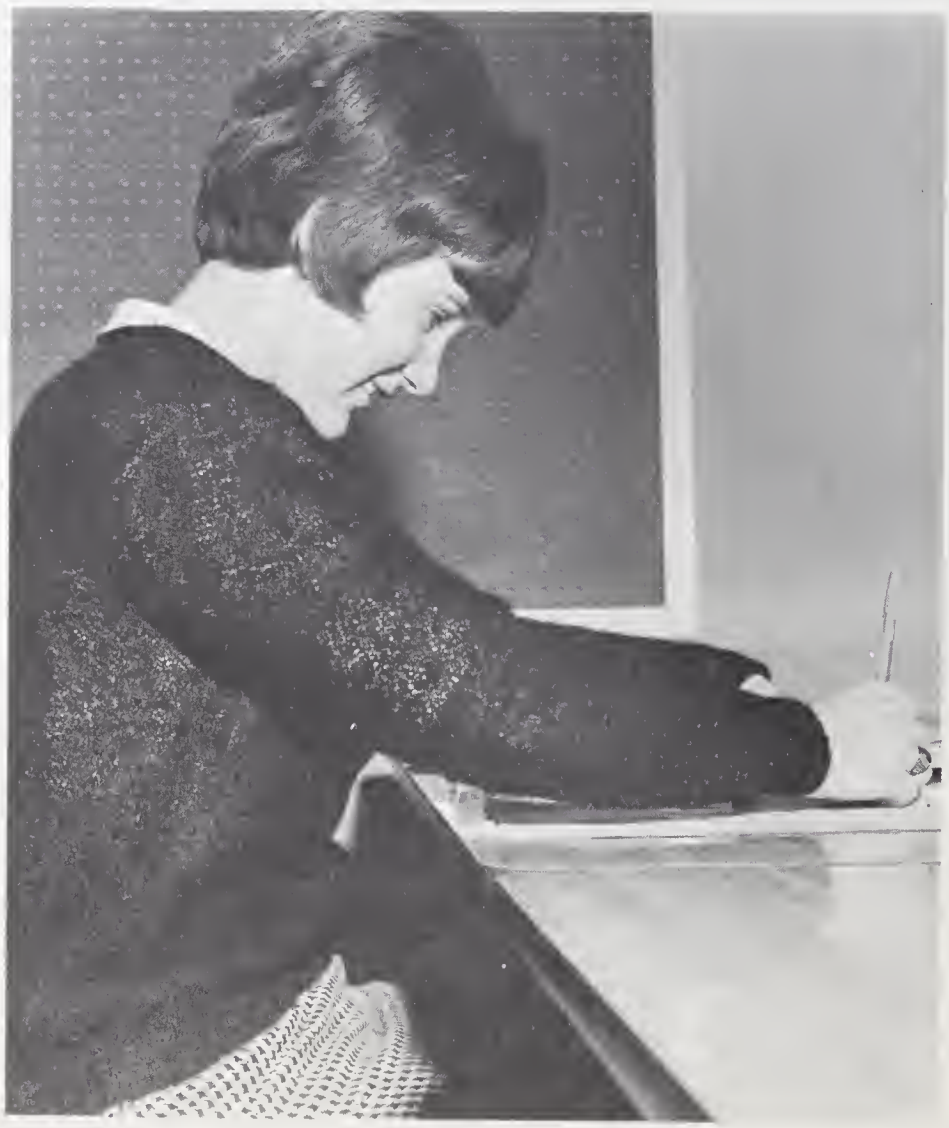
Teacher chaperones also get caught up in the excitement of home coming.

# Jenny Franks is Miss Somecka for 1968

Miss Somecka enjoys reviewing the work of her predecessors.

Cropping pictures is a tiresome, but necessary, activity that fills much of Jenny's time.

In any major endeavor requiring a common effort there is always one person who is everywhere at once, helping everyone and still somehow managing to do his own work well. Each year just such a person is chosen by her co-workers to exemplify the hard work and sincere dedication that goes into publishing an annual. Miss Jenny Franks, a constant inspiration to her cohorts, is 1968's Miss Somecka.



Somecka responsibilities also entails the basic tasks of drawing layouts.

Miss Cynthia Williams reigns as
Carrousel Princess 1968

MOST INTELLECTUAL
Dirk Bittinger, Jenny Franks

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Becky Pickle, Jeff Langley

# Seniors acknowledge

BEST ALL-AROUND
Melanie Merriam, Alan Guggenheim

MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Steve Chapman, Tina Austin

BEST LOOKING
Carol Hudman, Brad Veselick

MOST DEPENDABLE
Betty Blanton, Gary Williams

# superlative qualities

FRIENDLIEST
Donna Harris, Bill West

BEST PERSONALITY
Tom Wicker, Vicki Geer

# Curriculum

Mr. Edmisten stands in the shadow of responsibility.

Mrs. Jordon works diligently at the massive paperwork involved in running a school.

# Administration keynotes South

Mr. Emerson toils at the not-so-easy task of keeping our many buses rolling.

# Counselors give sound advice

Mrs. Lockhart administers PSAT's to juniors.

Seniors receive advice from Miss Mecklenburg.

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Guidance Secretary

Mrs. Jane Godfrey Gibson
Secretary

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Ball State Univ., M.A.
Guidance Counselor

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Atlantic Christian College;
Carolina College of Commerce
Secretary

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Marshall University, A.B.
English, Drama
Drama Club Advisor

Mrs. Baker ponders the work of her "wise fools."

# English department teaches expression

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Mrs. Rosa M. Foust
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Agricultural and Technical
College, M.A.; English II

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Reading Improvement

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Special Education

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English II

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Somecka Staff Advisor

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English III, IV
Junior Class Sponsor

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Appalachian State Teachers
College, B.A., M.A.
English II

Roger Satterfield concurs with Churchill.

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Meredith College, A.B.
English III
National Honor Society Adv.,
Sabrettes Adv.

**Sharon L. Martin**
Furman University, B.A.
English IV

**Mrs. Harvey E. McConnell, Jr.**
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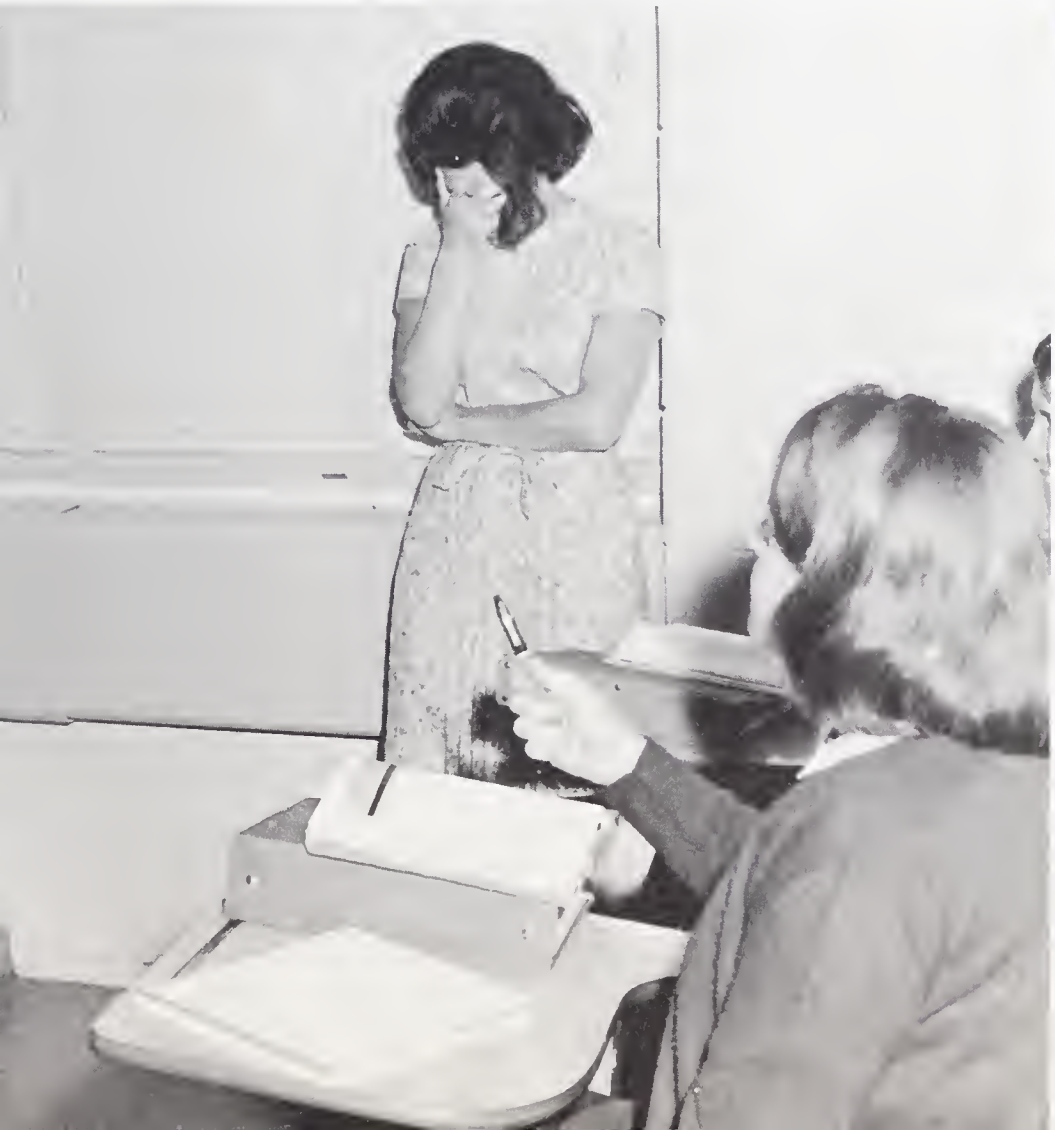
College; Univ. of S.C., B.A.
English II

Mrs. Gillis experiences one aspect of being a teacher—frustration.



Best wishes

**Mrs. Carol Morris**
Queens College, A.B.
English III
Somecka Staff Advisor

**Mrs. Edythe P. Price**
Chowan College, A.B.
English II, III, IV

Wesley,
I'll never forget
second period & all the
trouble you gave me!
Seriously, though, I looked
forward to next year
& the annual! Good
luck to you & Susan —
I think alot of you two!
C Morris

# Foreign languages promote international harmony

**Mrs. Delayne Dean**
Wake Forest College, B.A.
French III

**Mrs. Gretchen Downer**
Salem College; Univ. of N.C., A.B.
English II, Spanish II

**Mrs. Martha Hanna**
Duke University, A.B.
Spanish I, III

**Lillian M. Hatley**
Appalachian State Teachers College, B.S.;
French I, II
Junior Class Sponsor

Mrs. Hatley points the way to fluency in French.

**Pat McDade**
Winthrop College, B.A.
French I, IV
French Club Advisor

**Marion T. Osborne**
U.N.C.-G.; U.N.C.-C.H.;
Univ. of Madrid, A.B., M.Ed.
Spanish II; Spanish Club Advisor

**Mrs. Elaine Ware**
Greensboro College; U.N.C.-C.H., A.B., M.A.T.; Spanish I, IV
Spanish Honor Society Advisor

Mr. Boykin delivers his "canned" lecture.

**James E. Boykin**
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A.B., M.A.
Economics, Sociology,
U.S. History

**Edward E. Hamrick**
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U.S. History

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World History, U.S. History,
20th Century History

**Paul E. Jones**
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Latin Club Advisor

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Football and Wrestling Coach

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World History
Student Council Advisor

**Sandra Smith**
U.N.C.-G., B.A.
World History, Geography

**Mrs. Virginia J. Winget**
Winthrop College, A.B., M.A.
Psychology, U.S. History

**Fred Boger**
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Math, Monogram Club Advisor

**Mrs. Eleanor G. Brevard**
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U.N.C.-CH., B.S.,
M.A.; Functions, Algebra-Trig.
Junior Class Advisor

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Coker College;
U.N.C.-CH., A.B.
Geometry, Algebra I

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General Math I

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Geometry, Algebra-Trig.

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Wayne State Univ., B.S., M.A.
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Inter-Keys Adv.

# Excellent teachers + industrious students = Math department

Mrs. Brevard lends a "helping hand."

Miss McNeely removes the "vital" organs.

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Pfeiffer College, B.S.
Biology; Cross country,
Soccer, Swimming, J.V.
Baseball Coach

**Leo Donald Brevard**
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Biology, Senior Science
Sophomore Class Advisor

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**Carol Burke**
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Biology I

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Interact Advisor

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M.A.; Biology I, II
Senior Class Advisor

**William C. Still**
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U.N.C.-C.H., M.Ed.
Biology I

# Science labs bubble with enthusiasm

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Bookkeeping I, Typing I,
Personal Typing, Notehand

**Ruby H. Gorham**
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Durham, B.S., M.S.
Typing I, II, Bookkeeping I

Business students gain typing proficiency through constant practice.

# Business department hums with activity

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UNC-CH, B.S.S.A.
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DECA Advisor

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Shorthand I, II, Typing I

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Industrial Coop. Training
VICA Advisor

Mrs. Brewer searches for her students' typing errors.

Physical Education teaches teamwork while providing relaxation from academic pressures.

# Students find expression through electives

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Art

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Electronics Club Adv.

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G.A.A., Cheerleader Adv.

**Mac Hendron**
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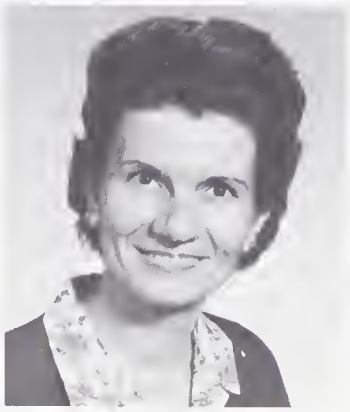
Drivers Education
Key Club Adv.



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Literary Club Adv.

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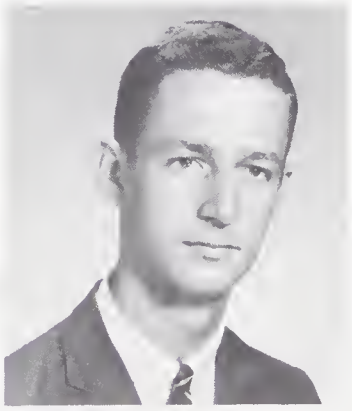
Drafting I, Industrial Arts



Mrs. Jackson models "pop art" fashions.

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Home Ec. I, II, III
Family Living

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Engine Repair I, II

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Lenoir-Rhyne College, A.B.;
Western Carolina College, M.A.
Driver's Education

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Foods, Clothing, Home Ec. I
F.H.A. Sponsor

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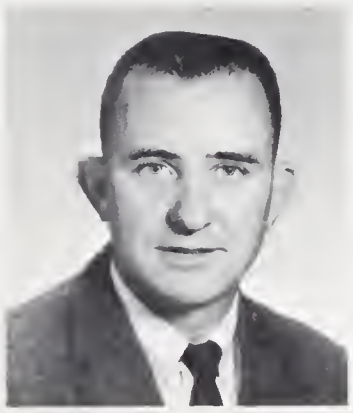

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Physical Education

**Mrs. G. Shank**
University of Fla., B.A.E.
World History

**Mrs. Pattie D. Wiggins**
Mitchell College
Library Secretary

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Drivers Education

Choir tunes up for daily rehearsal.

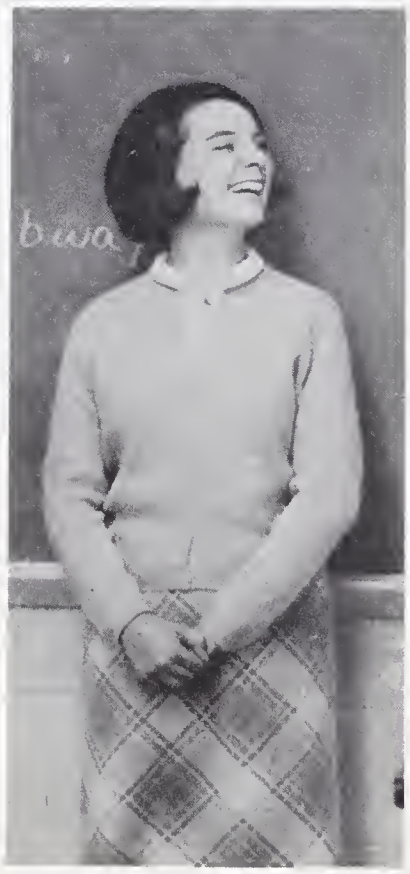
# Classes

Dear Weskie,
Ever since the day I met you my heart went boing! I hope I see your sweet little face next year.
Yours Truly
Bruce

# Three years transform eager sophomores into responsible seniors

**Senior Class Vice-President:** Mitch Albright and **Senior Class President:** Ronnie Romeis.

**Senior Class Treasurer:**
Lizzie Betts



**Senior Class Secretary:**
Donna Harris

**Senior Class advisors:** Miss Burke and Miss McNeely

# Seniors confront their challenges, earning respect of underclassmen

Judy Abernethy
Nancy Allen
Tony Atkinson
Laura Jane Baigas

Willie Adams
Terry Andreas
Nancy Atwood
James Bailes

Mitch Albright
Linda Armstrong
Tina Austin
Sherry Bailey

Brian Allen
Katherine Ashley
Frank Auten
Phil Baity

Doug Allen
Kirk Ashton
Rod Autrey
Dennis Baker

Joe Baker
Wayne Ballinger
Pat Banks
Laura Barksdale

Rhonda Barkley
Susan Barnes
Bryson Bateman
John Beall

Debbie Beard
Doug Bell
Bjorn Berggrav
Ron Berry

Conscientious seniors put the "ole brush" to "The Rock."

Lizzie Betts
Sandra Bishop

Marilyn Bishop
Dirk Bittinger

Kit Black
Mary Boyd
Risa Brooks
Linda Bushong

Lizzie Blackson
Linda Boyer
Louis Brown
Gail Byers

Betty Blanton
Debbie Braddon
Gary Brown
Libby Byrd

Larry Booth
Joe Bramlett
Steve Buntin
Pat Callahan

Sue Boudousquie
Janice Broadwater
Jennifer Burtner
Kathy Campbell

# Seniors devote time and energy to make their last year at South memorable as well as worthwhile

Twentieth Century class ponders the present.

Debbie Cappelli
Steve Chapman
Nancy Coleman

Dianne Carriker
Cathy Chupp
Kathy Conway

Mike Cavallone
Donna Clark
Cathy Cox

Shelia Chamberlin
Laura Clark
Judy Cox

Sandra Chandler
Freddy Coates
Anne Craig

# Responsibility and experience combine to make that perfect blend—Seniority

Billy Crane
Betty Davis
Sue Dewey

Wayne Crosby
Pat Davis
Jase Deyton

Doris Culp
Debby Deal
Francie Dill

Tony Darr
Dan Del Vecchio
Steve Doak

Beth Davis
John Dentler
Woody Doster

# Senior sabres enjoy themselves while preparing for life

Buddy Dulin
Jimmy Edwards
Patti Fadero
Bill Foster

Mary Dunlap
Libby Edwards
Aleanne Faires
Donna Fowler

Pat Dunmire
Dana Ellingson
Barbara Farrell
Jenny Franks

David Durham
Jody Emrie
Sandy Fincher
Elaine Frye

Becky Edwards
Dorothy Erwin
Stewart Fisher
Bonnie Furr

In Family Living students learn to cope with future problems.

Sandra Furr
Ann Ganis
Gwen Gill
Betsy Greene

Marsha Gardner
Steve Gillen
Debbie Griffin

Vicki Geer
Ida Gilliam
Alan Guggenheim

Maggie Gettys
Deryl Graham
Alinda Guin

Beverly Giles
Susan Graham
Joe Haigler

Linda Hale
John Harris
Cheryl Hawkins

Thomas Hall
Joanne Harrison
Sherry Haynes

George Hammel
Bill Harrison
Pat Hearn

Donna Harris
Woody Harton
Lynn Heemsoth
Julie Helms

Our Teen Tones hypnotize audiences at the Festival in the Park.

Margie Hancock
Martha Hartley
Steven Hedrick
Barbara Helfner
Mike Helms

Shay Helms
Martha Hill
Marcia Hrabanek
Tommy Isrel

Steve Henderson
Denise Hinson
Lynn Huckstep
Kaye James

Sue Hensley
Bob Hood
Alan Hunt
Mary Nell Johnston

J. R. Hildreth
Cynthia Horner
Lynda Hunter
John Jones

Linda Hildreth
Betti Howell
Barbara Huntley
Kirby Jones

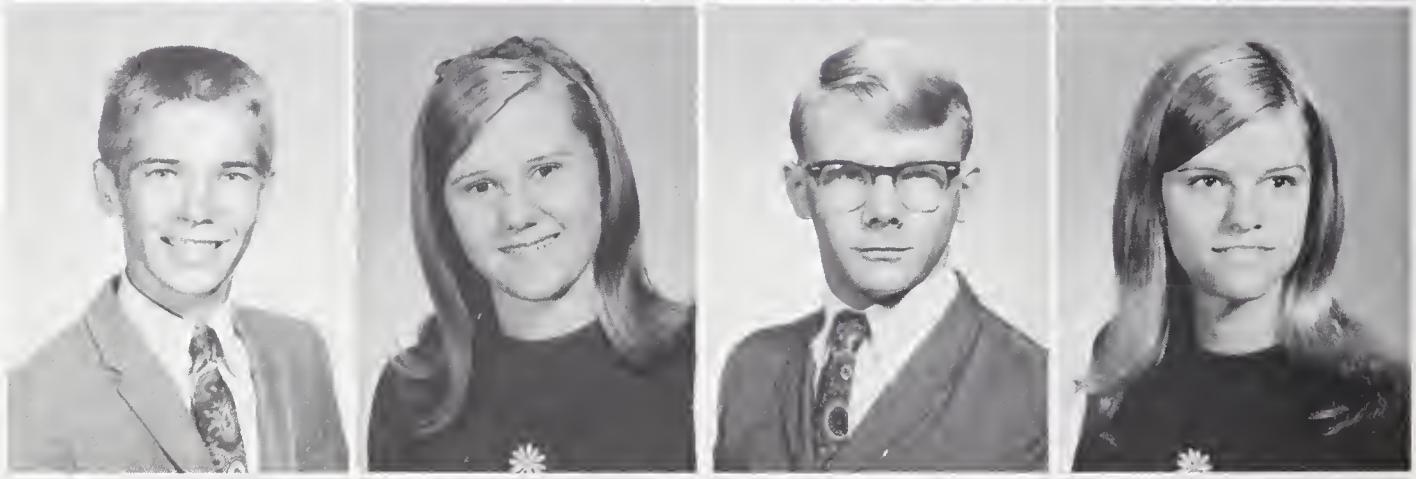
# Anticipation mounts as Class Day approaches

# The bench is a concrete symbol of the foundation South has given seniors for future life

Robert Jones
Nancy Justice
Maurice Keith
Perry Kell

Jimmy Kelly
Kerry Kille
Dennis Kirkley
Terry Klosterman

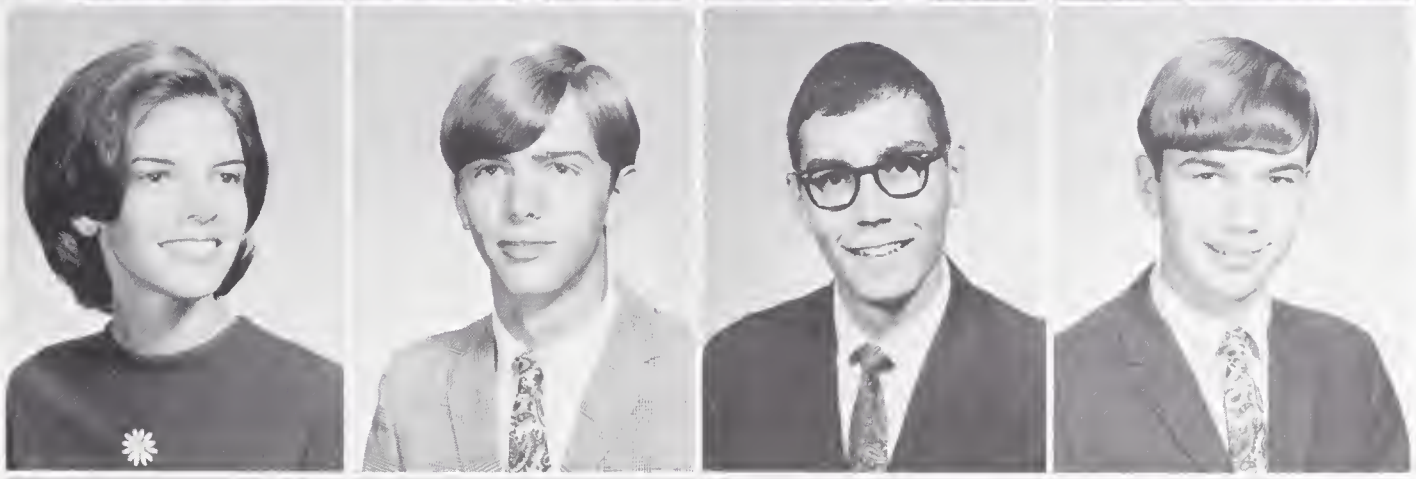
Steve Koob
Laura Ladd
Jeff Langley
Linda LaRoach



Terry Lassiter
Morris Lathe
Dianne Lawing
Nancy LeGrone

Senior activity centers around the bench.

Helen Levitt
Jo Lewis
Clark Lewis
Tracy Lippard



Paula Lombardi
Phil Love
Matt Lyle
Tommy Lyons

Chris Mackay
Peggy Major
Dick Many
Mykle Mariette

John Marshall
Billie Martin
Mary Cole May
Karen McClure

Privileges, like leaving at 2:30, brighten senior days.

# The "privileged

Gail McElroy
Linda McPheron
Pat Miller

Brian McFarland
Melanie Merriam
John Mills

Marianne McGinn
Marilyn Merritt
Sherry Mills

Donna McCormick
Judy McKenzie
Susan Millbern
Tommy Mole

Margaret McCoy
Clemestine McMurray
Cathy Millen
David Montezinos

# few'' enjoy their last year at South

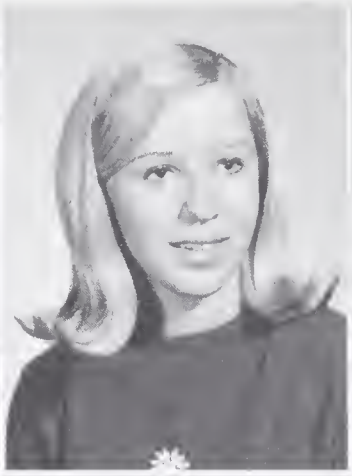
Mae Montgomery
Sandra Morris
Bonnie Neal
John Nesbitt

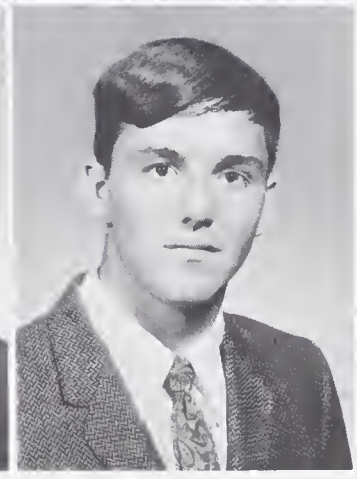
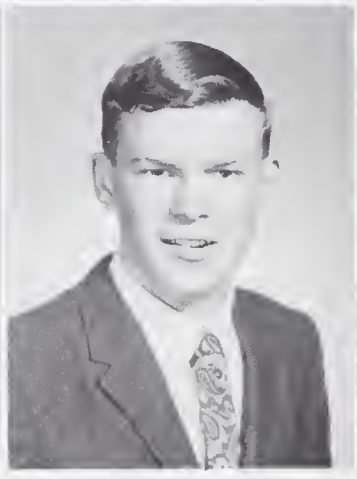
Debbie Moore
Gene Mullis
Susan Neely
Ronnie Nicholson

Julie Moore
Andrea Myers
Shorty Nehrenberg
Paul Norby

Dennis Morgan
Janis Nahrgang
Bill Nelson
Steve Oberndorf

Joe Morris
Jane Nash
Margaret Nelson
Lynda Olive



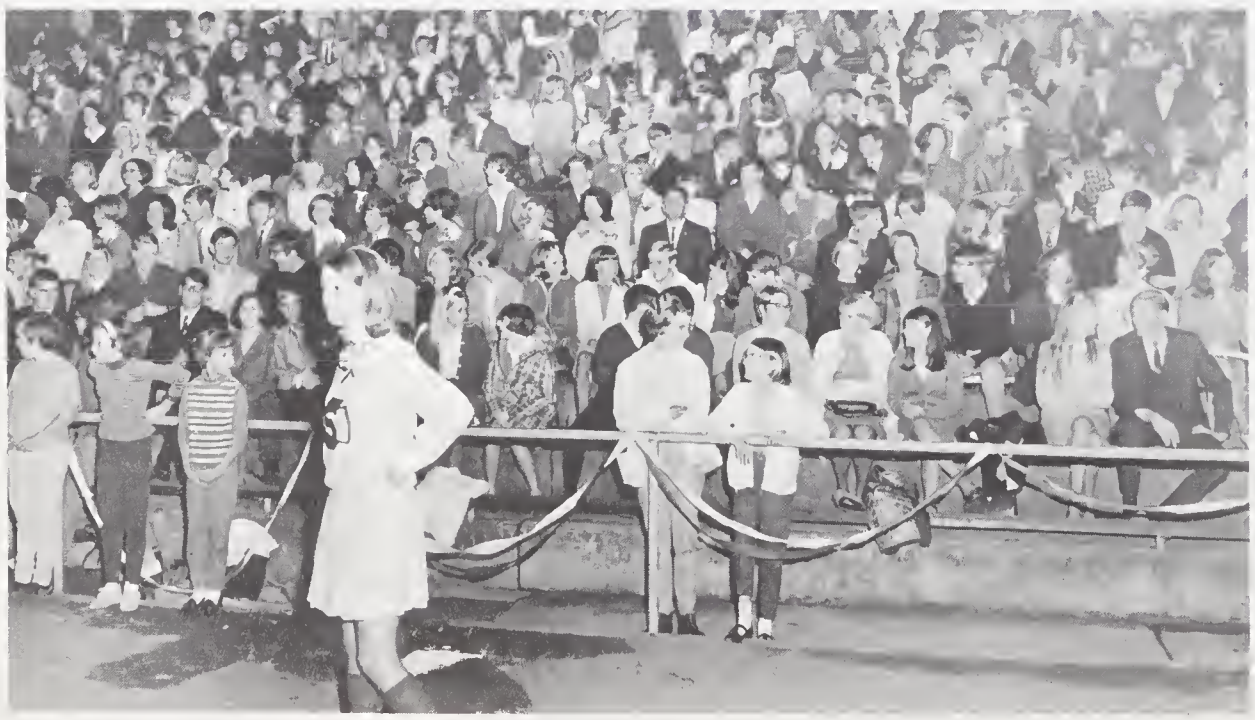
Randy Oliver
Ken Perry
Carolyn Pinson

Leigh Otey
Lana Perry
Kathryn Pinson

Patty Parker
Linda Pevey
Bill Pippin

Liz Parks
Michelle Picard
John Poetzsch

Diana Partridge
Becky Pickle
Helen Politis



Seniors exhibit well known South spirit for the underclassmen.

Tom Pope
Paula Purser
Suzanne Redden
Patty Rhyne

Vontina Potts
Gerry Rafferty
Betty Reid
Don Richards

Lewis Precourt
Jay Ragon
Cannon Renfro
Rod Richardson

Mary Jo Profet
Andy Ramey
Jane Rhodes
Wayne Riggins

Scott Pugh
Ed Rankin
Jerrie Rhodes
Judy Rinaldi

# Awards Day culminates years of hard work and determination

On his way to class, Tom Wicker displays the mirth characteristic of seniors.

Debbie Schaffer

Penny Rinesh
Sharon Roberts
Ronnie Romeis
Betty Sanders
Susan Schatz

Robin Roberson
Dorothy Robinson
Allen Rucker
Creola Sanders
Vicky Schliestett

Marilyn Roberts
Don Rogers
Vicki Russom
Roger Satterfield
Sandy Schultz

# Happiness is the joyous echo of our Senior Follies

Nancy Seymour
Richard Simmonds
Leslie Southerland
Lee Stephens

Robert Shapiro
Peggy Skerry
Walter Spearman
Cindy Stewart

Georgette Sharick
Carol Smith
Jan Spoon
Kay Story

Jimmy Shaw
Cheri Smith
Julie Stafford
Janet Stuart

David Shockley
Nancy Smith
Judy Stanford
Joanne Sumner

# Triumphant football season accents senior year

Michael Surratt
Ted Troutman
Brad Veselick

Richie Tatum
Martha Turner
Shelley Vincent

Clarence Taylor
Mike Vaden
Jerry Wagner

Cindy Teal
Betty Vance
Jae Walden

Kathy Toomey
Tommy Van Dyke
Mike Waldron

Students honor victorious team at Homecoming reception.

Marcia Walker
Trippy Washburn
Robert Welsh

Bryan Wall
Steve Wasiolek
Bill West

Linda Walters
Linda Webber
Sharon Whisnant

Sallie Wamsley
Daphne Webster
Linda White

Dan Warren
Carolyn Wells
Eddie Whitfield

Tokens of the seniors' last year at South rest on our most outstanding symbol, the bench.

# Graduation presents a passport to new struggles and new rewards

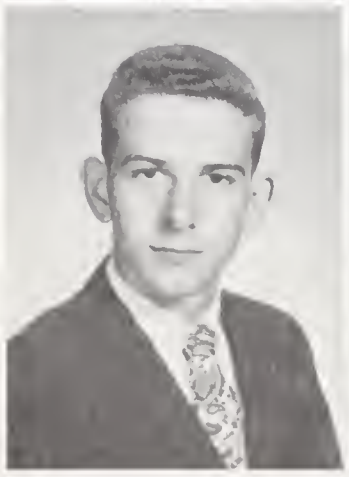
Pam Whitley
Phil Wilson
Gene Wray

Tom Wicker
Jane Wilson
William Yandell

Celeste Williams
Ricky Wilson
Alice Young

Cynthia Williams
Sissie Woodell
Bob Zachary

Gary Williams
Sally Worz
Steve Zahos



It is with great pride and genuine affection that the Somecka staff presents

# The Class of 1968

Abernethy, Judy Carol — *"Judy"*

Adams, Willie James — *"Willie"*
Band 10, 11, 12; HR Reporter 12.

Albright, Charles Mitchell, Jr. — *"Mitch"*
Class Vice-pres. 12; HR Sec. 11, Vice-pres. 12; Interact 11, 12; Good Books Club Vice-pres. 11; Somecka 11; Accent 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Dramatics Vice-pres. 10, Treas. 11, Pres. 12.

Alford, Helen Kay — *"Kay"*
Transfer from Harding, 12.

Allen, Brian Theodore — *"Brian"*
Red Cross Club 10; Bus Driver 11, 12; Orchestra 10.

Allen, Douglas Anthony — *"Doug"*
Audio-visual 11; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 11.

Allen, Nancy Elizabeth — *"Nancy"*
French Club 11, 12; HR Sec. 12; Audio-visual 10, 11; Young Americans 11, 12; HR Reporter 11.

Andreas, Terry Jean — *"Terry"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Pep Club 10; HR Vice-pres. 11; FHA 10, 11; Dramatics 10, 11; Bus Driver 12.

Armstrong, Linda Christine — *"Linda"*
Class Treas. 10; Teen Tones 12; FHA 10; Choir 12; Inter-Keys 12.

Ashton, Kirk Samuel — *"Kirk"*
Tennis 11; Jr. Marshal; Red Cross 11; Monogram Club 11; Choir 10, 11, 12; Transfer from Olympic High, 12.

Atkinson, Anthony Alvin — *"Tony"*
Spanish Club 12.

Atwood, Nancy Clarke — *"Nancy"*
French Club 10, 11, Treas. 12; Pep Club 10; Business Club 12.

Austin, Tina — *"Tina"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Letter Girl 12; FHA 12.

Auten, Frank Everett — *"Frank"*

Autrey, Thomas Rodney — *"Rod"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; South Men 11, 12; Golf 11, 12; Young Americans 12; Monogram Club 12; CESP 11, 12.

Baigas, Laura Jane — *"Laura Jane"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; Pep Club 10; Cheerleader 12; HR Pres. 10, 11; FTA 12; Somecka 12; Accent 11; Student Council 10, 11; Inter-Keys 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Bailey, Sharron Leigh — *"Sherry"*
French Club 10, 11; Young Americans 10, 11; Somecka 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Inter-Keys 12.

Baity, Alton Philip — *"Phil"*
Spanish Club 11; Soccer 10, 11; Wildacres 11; Monogram Club 10, 11; Student Council 10, 11; DECA Pres. 12; Class officer 10; Transfer from Christian High 12.

Baker, Dennis Edward — *"Dennis"*
Track 10; Soccer 10; Monogram Club 10, 11; DECA 12.

Baker, Joseph Edward, Jr. — *"Joe"*
Football 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, Pres. 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Key Club 11, 12; Student Council 12.

Baker, Richard Barry — *"Barry"*

Banks, John Patrick — *"Pat"*
Latin Club 10, 11; Football Co-Captain 10; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Barber, Annie Faye — *"Faye"*
Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Barkley, Rhonda Ann — *"Rhonda"*
FHA 10, 11; Dramatics 11; Business Club 12; FTA 12.

Barksdale, Laura Florence — *"Laura"*
Spanish Club 11.

Barnes, Susan Malee — *"Suzi"*
Spanish Club 11; HR Sec. 10.

Bateman, Wallace Bryson — *"Bryson"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Latin Club 10; HR officer 10, 11; Jr. Marshal; Audio-visual 11, 12; Band 10, 11; NSF Summer Program 11; Young Americans Pres. 12.

Baxley, James Roddy — *"James"*

Beall, John Charles — *"John"*
South Men 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, Pres. 12; Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 10, 11, 12; Chief Jr. Marshal; HR officer 12; Choir 11, 12; CESP Exchange Student to Chile 11.

Beard, Debra Jean — *"Debbie"*
FHA 11; FTA 12; Transfer from Morristown, N.J., 11.

Bell, Deryl Le Van — *"Deryl"*

Berggrav, Bjorn Birger — *"Bjorn"*
National Honor Society 12; Track 12; Soccer 12; Interact 12; Student Council 12; Young Americans 12; CESP Exchange Student from Norway.

Betts, Elizabeth Jane — *"Lizzie"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Pep Club 10; Lettergirl 11; Cheerleader 12; Class Treas. 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, 11; Red Cross Club 10; FHA 12; Dramatics 11; Somecka 12; Inter-Keys 11, 12; CESP 11.

Birdsong, Robert L. —*"Robert"*

Bishop, Marilyn Diana — *"Marilyn"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; FTA 12.

Bishop, Sandra Joyce — *"Sandra"*
Business Club 12; Somecka Business Staff 12.

Bittinger, Frank Dirk — *"Dirk"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; Track 11, 12; HR Pres. 12; Jr. Marshal; Monogram Club 11, 12; Student Council 12; NSF Summer Program 11; Interact 12; Somecka 12.

Black, Katherine Elizabeth —*"Kit"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; FHA 12.

Blackson, Elizabeth Helen — *"Lizzie"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; HR Treas. 10, 11; Choir 12.

Blanton, Caroline Elizabeth — *"Betty"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Pep Club 10; Spanish Honor Society 12; Lettergirl 12; Girls' State 11; HR Pres. 10, 11, Sec. 12; FHA 11; Student Council 10, 11, Sec. 12; Dramatics 11; CESP 11.

Booth, Larry Vernon —*"Larry"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Jr. Marshal; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Key Club 11, Treas. 12; Band 10, 11.

Senior girls relax at lunch.

Boudousquie, Suzanne Carmen — *"Sue"*
Red Cross Club 11; FHA 10, 12; Dramatics 11; Chorus 10, 12.

Boyd, Mary Cannon — *"Mary"*

Boyer, Linda Jeanne — *"Linda"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10; Dramatics 11; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Braddon, Deborah Ellen — *"Debbie"*
Red Cross Club 10; Girls' Ensemble 11, 12; Art Club 10, 11, 12.

Bramlett, Joseph Lawson — *"Joe"*
Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Transfer from Greensboro, N. C., 11.

Brickey, Kara Jeanne — *"Jeanne"*
Dramatics 11.

Broadwater, Janice Elaine — *"Janice"*
Latin Club 10; Pep Club 10; Transfer from Louisville, Ky., 12.

Brooks, Morrisa Jean — *"Risa"*
Spanish Club 11; Latin Club 10; Transfer from Baton Rouge, La., 11.

Brown, Gary Paul — *"Gary"*
Soccer 11; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Buntin, Steve Leslie — *"Steve"*
Football 11; Audio-visual 10, 12; Chess Club 12; Transfer from Jacksonville, Fla., 12.

Burtner, Jennifer Lee — *"Jennifer"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; FHA 11, 12.

Bushong, Linda Page — *"Linda"*
FHA 11, 12; Transfer from Warner Robins A.F.B., Ga., 10.

Byers, Gail Annette — *"Gail"*
French Club 10; FHA 10; Dramatics 12; Transfer from Monroe, N. C., 11.

Byrd, Elizabeth Celeste — *"Libby"*
Spanish Club 11; Teen Tones 12; Dramatics 11; Girls' Ensemble 10; Choir 11, 12.

Callahan, Patricia Lynn — *"Pat"*
Young Americans 11; Choir 11; VICA 12.

Campbell, Kathryn Ann — *"Kathy"*
French Club 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 12; Young Americans 11, 12; Accent 11, 12; CESP 11; Inter-Keys 11, 12.

Cappelli, Deborah Rose — *"Debbie"*
Pep Club 10; FHA 12; Transfer from Our Lady of Mercy 11.

Carmichael, Alan Randall — *"Randy"*
Football 10; Wrestling 10, 11; Track 10; HR Pres. 10; Student Council 10.

Carriker, Dianne Marie — *"Dianne"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Governor's School 11; Teen Tones 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Choir 10, 11, 12.

Cavallone, John Michael — *"Mike"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 12.

Chamberlin, Sheila Lynn — *"Shelia"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; Pep Club 10; Lettergirl 11, Head 12; HR officer 10, 11; Red Cross Club 10, 11; FHA 10; HR Reporter 12; Dramatics 10.

Chandler, Sandra Robin — *"Sandra"*
FHA 11, 12.

Chapman, Stephen William — *"Steve"*
Football 10, 11, Tri-captain 12; Golf 10, 11, 12; HR Pres. 10, 12; Interact 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 12; Student Forum 10.

Chappelear, Jerry Dean — *"Jerry"*
Baseball 11; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 10, 11, 12.

Chupp, Cathy Sarah — *"Cathy"*
French Club 12; Pep Club 10; HR Sec. 10, 11, 12; Red Cross Club 11; Teen Tones 12; Young Americans 11; Chorus 10.

Clark, David Allen —*"Rabbit"*

Clark, Gladys Donna — *"Donna"*
French Club 11, 12.

Clark, Laura Elizabeth — *"Laura"*
French Club 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, 11; GAA 10; FHA 10, 11, 12.

Cobb, Liesl Marquardt — *"Liesl"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; HR Sec. 10, Pres. 11; Young Americans 10, 11, 12; FHA 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; CESP 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10; National Honor Society 12.

Coleman, Nancy Carolyn — *"Nancy"*
DECA 11, 12.

Collette, Timothy Patrick — *"Tim"*
Track 10, 11; Transfer from British Columbia, Canada, 12.

Collins, James Louis — *"Jim"*
HR Vice-pres. 11.

Conway, Kathleen — *"Kathy"*
Spanish Club 11; Audio-visual 11; FHA 11; Transfer from Our Lady of Mercy, 11.

Cook, Sherry Pamela — *"Sherry"*
Young Americans 11; Chorus 10; DECA 12.

Costner, Dennis Wayne — *"Dennis"*

Cox, Judith Anne — *"Judy"*
Latin Club 10; Young Americans 11; FHA 11, 12.

Cox, Kathryn Vaughan — *"Kathy"*
French Club 12; Pep Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; Transfer from Alexandria, Va., 12.

Craig, Anne Loraine — *"Anne"*
French Club 12.

Crane, William Ernest — *"Billy"*

Crawford, Donald Glenn — *"Don"*
Transfer from Rosemount, Minn., 12.

Crosby, Robert Wayne — *"Wayne"*
Spanish Club 10; Football 10; Soccer 10; HR Treas. 10; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Culp, Doris Jean — *"Doris"*
Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Currier, Raymond Richard — *"Richard"*
Transfer from Pittsburgh, Pa., 10.

Darr, Anthony Joseph — *"Tony"*
Spanish Club 12; Audio-visual 12; Senior Follies Committee 12.

Davis, Betty Jean — *"Betty Jean"*
Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Davis, Connie Elizabeth — *"Beth"*
HR Sec. 10.

Davis, Patricia Sue — *"Pat"*
FHA 11; FTA 12; Choir 11, 12; HR Reporter 12; Chorus 10.

Davis, Perry Dudley — *"Perry"*
Transfer from Roanoke, Va., 11.

Dawkins, Coleman — *"Coleman"*

Deal, Deborah Ann — *"Debby"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; Latin Club 10; Young Americans 11, 12; FHA 12; Dramatics 12; Art Club 12.

DeFravio, David Barry — *"David"*
HR Pres. 10; Student Council 10.

Del Vecchio, Daniel Reeves — *"Dan"*
**Accent** 12.

Dentler, John Campbell — *"John"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Wildacres 11; Band 10, 11, 12; Dramatics Treas. 12; Swimming 10, 11, Captain 12; Transfer from Minn., 11.

Dewey, Susan Carlton — *"Sue"*
Spanish Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Deyton, Jason B., III — *"Jase"*
Soccer 11; **Somecka** 11; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11.

Dill, Frances Ann — *"Francie"*
HR Treas. 11; Red Cross Club 11; FHA 11, 12; Dramatics 10, 11; Art Club 12.

Doak, Steven Lee — *"Steve"*

Doster, William Woods — *"Woody"*
Track 10, 11, 12; Soccer 11; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

Dulin, Albert Leland — *"Buddy"*
Bus Driver 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11, 12.

Dunlap, Mary Jane — *"Mary"*
DECA 12.

Dunmire, Patricia Arlene — *"Patty"*
Transfer from Allendale, N. C., 12.

Durham, David Allen — *"David"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; South Men 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 12; Jr. Marshal; Choir 11, 12; NFS Summer Science 11.

Edgerly, Paula Helen — *"Paula"*
Pep Club 10; HR Treas. 10, 12; HR Pres. 11; Red Cross Club 10; Student Council 11; Dramatics 12; HR Reporter 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Edwards, Irene Elizabeth — *"Libby"*
French Club 11, 12; HR officer 12; Audio-visual 10; Choir 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10; Dramatics Club 10, 12; **Somecka** Business Staff 11; National Honor Society 12.

Edwards, James Jackson, Jr. — "Jimmy"
South Men 11, 12; Red Cross 11; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10.

Edwards, Rebecca Susan — *"Becky"*
Spanish Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; FHA 12; DECA Treas. 11.

Edwin, Eugene David — *"Gene"*

Ellingson, Dana Evans — *"Dana"*

Emrie, Mary Jo — *"Jody"*
Spanish Club 12; French Club 12; Spanish Honor Society 10, 11; Annual Business Staff 11; Good Books Club 11, Pres. 12; **Accent** 11, Editor 12.

Eversole, Janet Loraine — *"Janet"*
Art Club 10.

Fadero, Patricia Ann — *"Patti"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; Pep Club 10; HR Vice-pres. 10, 12; Red Cross Club 10; FHA 11, 12.

Faires, Mary Aleanne —*"Aleanne"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; French Club 10; Cheerleader Co-head 12; Lettergirl Head 11, HR Treas. 10; Sec. 11; Jr. Marshal; **Somecka** 12; Student Council 12; Inter-Keys 11, 12; Choir 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; Pep Club 10.

Farrell, Barbara Leslie — *"Barbara"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; FHA 11; **Somecka** Business Staff 11, 12; Dramatics 10.

Fetterson, Robert Elvester — *"Robert"*

Fields, Belton Daniel — *"Danny"*
Audio-visual 10.

Fincher, Sandra Marie — *"Sandy"*
DECA 12; French Club 12; Transfer from Chesapeake, Va., 11.

Fisher, Stewart Wayne — *"Stewart"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 11; Track 11, 12; Soccer 11, Co-Captain 12; HR Pres. 12; Audio-visual 11; Young Americans 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Interact 11, 12; Student Council 12; National Honor Society 12.

Foster, William Richard — *"Bill"*
JV Baseball 10.

Fowler, Donna Beth — *"Donna"*
GAA 11, 12.

Franks, Jeneane Ann — *"Jenny"*
National Honor Society 11, Vice-pres. 12; Spanish Club Treas. 10, Vice-pres. 11; Spanish Honor Society Treas. 11, Pres. 12; Lettergirl 12; HR Pres. 10, 11, Treas. 12; Jr. Marshal; **Somecka** 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 11; NFS Math Program at FSU 11; Young Americans 11.

Furr, Bonnie Marie — *"Bonnie"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; Pep Club 10; HR officer 10, 11, 12; Red Cross Club 10; Inter-Keys 12.

Frye, Glenice Elaine — *"Elaine"*

Ganis, Ann Katharine — *"Ann"*
French Club 10, 11, Sec. 12; Pep Club 10; HR Treas. 10, Vice-pres. 11, Sec. 12; Red Cross Club 10.

Gardner, Marsha Elizabeth — *"Marsha"*
French Club 10; HR Treas. 11; FHA 10, Vice-pres. 11, Pres. 12; **Accent** 11, 12.

Geer, Vicki Lynn — *"Vicki"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Spanish Club 11; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; Wildacres 11; HR Pres. 12; Jr. Marshal; Young Americans 11; **Somecka** 12; Student Council 12; Treas. 11; Inter-Keys 11, Treas. 12; CESP 11.

Gettys, Maggie Jane — *"Maggie"*
Red Cross Club 10; Band 11, 12; Dramatics 11, 12; Inter-Keys 12; Choir 11, 12; Transfer from Sterling High 10.

The sound of the bell ends another bout with Hamlet.

Giles, Beverly Susan — *"Beverly"*
French Club 10; Pep Club 10; HR Sec. 10; FHA 12; Business Club 12.

Gillen, Stephen Douglas — *"Steve"*
Golf 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Dramatics 12.

Gilliam, Ida Mae — *"Ida"*
Chorus 10, 11, 12; Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Gilliam, Mable Elizabeth — *"Mable"*
Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Gilliland, Andrew Joseph — *"Andy"*
Transfer from Myers Park 11.

Graham, Deryl Thomas — *"Deryl"*
Baseball 10, 11; Soccer 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 10, 11; HR officer 12; Monogram Club 10, 11; Annual Business Staff 10, 11; Student Council 11; Transfer from Christian High 12.

Graham, Susan — *"Susan"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; FHA 11, 12.

Green, Ronald Michael — *"Ronnie"*

Greene, Elizabeth Theodora — *"Betsy"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; Latin Club 10; HR Pres. 11, Treas. 12; FHA 11, Treas. 12; FTA 11, 12; Student Council 11.

Gregory, Bennie Virgil — *"Virgil"*
Bus Driver 11; VICA 12.

Griffin, Debaney Sue — *"Debbie"*
GAA 11, 12.

Guin, Alinda Carole — *"Alinda"*
HR Sec. 11; Red Cross Club 10, 11; Audio-visual 10, 11; DECA Associate Pres. 11, 12.

Guggenheim, Gustave Alan — *"Alan"*
Latin Club 10; Football 10, 11, Tri-Captain 12; Track 10, 11, 12; HR Treas. 11, Vice-pres. 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, Pres. 12; Interact 10, 11, Director 12.

Haigler, William Joseph — *"Joe"*
Baseball Manager 10; DECA 11, 12; Audio-visual 10.

Hale, Linda Susan — *"Linda"*
Spanish Club 12; FTA 10, 11; Girls' League 10, 11; Transfer from Maywood, Ill., 11.

Hammel, George Edward, III — *"George"*
Swim Team 10; Transfer from Miami, Fla., 11.

Hancock, Margaret Louise — *"Margie"*
Latin Club 10; FHA 11; **Accent** 12; Dramatics 11; Transfer from Greensboro, N.C., 11.

Harris, Donna Elizabeth — *"Donna"*
Spanish Club 11, Pres. 12; Spanish Honor Society 11, Sec. 12; Class Vice-pres. 11, Sec. 12; HR Pres. 10; Teen Tones 12; Young Americans 11; Student Council 10; Band 10, 11, Sec.-Treas. 12; Choir 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11, 12; CESP 11.

Harris, John L. — *"John"*

Harrison, Joanne — *"Joanne"*

Harrison, William Forbes — *"Bill"*
Audio-visual 10; DECA 11, 12.

Hartley, Martha Kaye — *"Martha"*
Spanish Club 10, 12; Pep Club 10; FHA 11, 12.

Harton, Linwood Mansfield, Jr. — *"Woody"*
South Men 11, 12; Choir 11, 12; Transfer from Henderson, N.C., 11.

Hawkins, Cheryl Lynn — *"Cheryl"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; French Club 11, 12; Pep Club 10; Young Americans 10, 11, 12; **Somecka** Business Staff 11; **Somecka** 12; Dramatics 11, 12; HR Reporter 11; CESP 11, 12; Choir 11, 12; SOS 12.

Haynes, Sherry Diane — *"Sherry"*
FHA 10, 11; Art Club 11.

Hearn, Patricia Pearl — *"Pat"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Pep Club 10; FHA 10, 11; FTA 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Hedrick, Steven Bain — *"Steven"*
ICT Club 12.

Heemsoth, Lynn Marie — "Lynn"
FHA 11; Bus Driver 12; Business Club 11; Transfer from Fort Mill, S.C., 10.

Helfner, Barbara Jane — *"Barbara"*
HR Vice-pres. 11; FHA 12; Business Club 11, Sec.-Treas. 12.

Helms, Julie Francisca — *"Julie"*
French Club 11; Red Cross Club 12; GAA 11; Art Club 12.

Helms, Michael Kenneth — *"Mike"*
Football 10, 12; Key Club 12; Bus Driver 10, 11, 12.

Helms, Sharon Allyson — *"Shay"*
French Club 10, 11; HR Treas. 12; Red Cross Club 10; Audio-visual 11, 12; GAA Vice-pres. 10, 11, Pres. 12; FTA 11, Sec. 12; Orchestra 10, 11, 12.

Henderson, Warren Steven — *"Steve"*
HR officer 10; Key Club 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12.

Hensley, Angela Sue — *"Sue"*
French Club 11, 12; FTA 11, 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 12; Art Club 10.

Hildreth, Linda Ann — *"Linda"*
GAA 11.

Hildreth, James Robert — *"J.R."*
HR Vice-pres. 10; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 12.

Hill, Martha Earline — *"Martha"*
National Honor Society 12; Spanish Club 12; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12.

Hinson, Harriett Denise — *"Denise"*

Holmes, John Thomas — *"Jackie"*

Hood, Robert Louis — *"Bob"*
Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; **Somecka** Business Staff 11; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 10, 11, 12.

Horner, Cynthia Reeves — *"Cynthia"*
French Club 10, 11; FTA 12; HR Reporter 12; Choir 11, 12.

Houpt, Frank — *"Frank"*

Howell, Elizabeth Booth — *"Betti"*
Spanish Club 11; Spanish Honor Society 12; HR Sec. 10, Pres. 12; Young Americans 12; FTA 11, Pres. 12; **Somecka** Business Staff 12; **Accent** 11; Student Council 12; CESP 11; Choir 12.

Hrabanek, Marcia — *"Marcia"*
HR Treas. 11, Sec. 12; Teen Tones 12; GAA 10; FTA 11, Treas. 12; Bus Driver 11, Treas. 12.

Linda Boyer stars in classroom production of Pygmalion.

Senior girls learn domestic skills that will undoubtedly be useful in the future.

Huckstep, Lynn — *"Lynn"*
HR officer 10; Red Cross Club 10, 11; FHA 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12.

Hudman, Carol Denise — *"Carol"*
Cheerleader 11, 12; HR Pres. 10, 11, Vice-pres. 12; Student Council 10, 11.

Hunt, Herbert Alan — *"Alan"*
Bus Driver 12; Choir 12.

Hunter, Lynda Diane — *"Lynda"*

Huntley, Barbara Jean — *"Barbara"*
Young Americans 11; FHA 12.

Isrel, Tommy G. — *"Tommy"*
ICT Club 12.

James, Paula Kaye — *"Kaye"*
Dramatics 11.

Johnston, Mary Nell — *"Mary Nell"*
French Club 10, 11; HR Reporter 11, Treas. 12; Dramatics 11; Bus Driver 11, Treas. 12.

Jones, Ronald Kirby — *"Kirby"*
Cross Country 10; Tennis 10, 11, 12; HR Sec. 10, Vice-pres. 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Key Club 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Chess Club 12.

Jones, John Edwin — *"John"*
Bus Driver 11, 12; Football Mgr. 10.

Jones, Robert William, Jr. — *"Robert"*
Track 10, 11, 12; South Men 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Justice, Nancy Lea — *"Nancy"*
Latin Club 10, 11; FHA 12; Art Club 10, 12.

Keith, Maurice Conrad — *"Maurice"*
Cross Country 10, 11; Track 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12.

Kell, Grace Perry — *"Perry"*
Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, 11; Bus Driver 10, 11, Sec. 12.

Kelly, James Roy, Jr. — *"Jimmy"*

Kille, Susan Kerry — *"Kerry"*
Latin Club 10; Sabrettes 11, 12; HR Sec. 11; FHA 10; Band 10.

Kitchen, Kliffia Kae — *"Kliffia"*

Klosterman, Terry Hambly — *"Terry"*
Spanish Club 11; Football 10, 11, 12; Track 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Swimming Team 12.

Knight, Deborah Lee — *"Debby"*
Track 10, 11; Art Club 10; Turret Staff 11; Girls' Field Hockey 10, 11; Volleyball 10; Transfer from Alexandria, Va., 12.

Koob, Stephen Henry — *"Steve"*
Golf 10; Audio-visual 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; Basketball 10; Health Club 10; Transfer from Shelby, N.C., 11.

Koontz, Carolyn Jeannette — *"Carolyn"*
Red Cross Club 10, 11; Transfer from High Point, N.C., 12.

Ladd, Laura Lee — *"Laura"*
Spanish Club 11; GAA 10; FHA 11; Bus Driver 11, 12; CESP 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 12.

Langley, Jeffrey Todd — *"Jeff"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11; HR officer 11; Monogram Club 11, Vice-pres. 12; Key Club 10, 11, Sec. 12; Student Council 10, Student Forum 12.

LaRoach, Linda Lee — *"Linda"*
French Club 10, 11; Pep Club 11; Wildacres 11; FTA 11; Anchor Club 10; Transfer from Greensboro, N.C., 12.

Lassiter, Warner Edward — *"Terry"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 10, 11, Vice-pres. 12; HR Pres. 10; Student Council 10; CESP 11.

Lathe, William Morris — *"Morris"*
Audio-visual 11, 12; ICT 12.

Lawing, Dian Elizabeth — *"Dian"*
Red Cross Club 11; FHA 12; Business Club 12.

Lefler, Paul Reid — *"Reid"*
DECA 11; ICT 12.

LeGrone, Nancy Byrd — *"Nancy"*
Spanish Club 11; HR Vice-pres. 10; FHA 10, 11, 12.

Leininger, Earl Wayne — *"Wayne"*
Transfer from Montgomery, N. Y., 12.

Levitt, Helen Ann — *"Helen"*
Spanish Club 11; CESP 12.

Lewis, Jo Marie — *"Jo"*
French Club 12; FHA 12; Art Club 12.

Lippard, Tracy Alexander — *"Tracy"*

Lofland, Frank Eugene — *"Frank"*

Lombardi, Paula Jean — *"Paula"*
National Honor Society 11, Sec. 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 11; HR Vice-pres. 10; Jr. Marshal; Red Cross Club 10; CESP 10, Chairman 12, Exchange Student to Denmark 11.

Lowery, Thomas Deliehite — *"Tommy"*
Wrestling 11.

Love, Phillip Eugene, Jr. — "Phil"
French Club 12; Band 10, 11; ICT 12.

Lyle, Matthew, III — *"Matt"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Soccer 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Lyons, Thomas Barry — *"Tommy"*
Soccer 10, 11; Tennis 10; Band 11, 12.

Mackay, Christine Elizabeth — *"Chris"*
French Club 10, 11; Pep Club 10; Young Americans 12; Somecka 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Art Club 10, 12; Girls' Ensemble 12; Transfer from Atlanta, Ga., 10.

Mackeigan, Terri Lynn — *"Terri"*
Transfer from Coyahogha Falls, Ohio.

Major, Peggy Lee — *"Peggy"*
French Club 10; HR Sec. 12; Girls' Ensemble 11; FHA 11, 12; HR Reporter 12.

Many, Richard Denman — *"Dick"*
South Men 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; Somecka 11; Choir 11, 12.

Mariette, Michael David — *"Mykle"*
Spanish Club 11; Audio-visual 11, 12; Good Books Club 11, 12; Dramatics 11, 12; Choir 12; Chess Club 12; Debating Club 12.

Senior couples are honored by underclassmen at the Jr. Sr.

Marshall, John Lewis — *"John"*
Dramatics 12.

Martin, Billie Sue — *"Billie"*
FHA 11; Girls' Ensemble 11.

May, Mary Cole — *"Mary Cole"*
French Club 11; Dramatics Club 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11, 12.

McClure, Stephanie Karen — *"Karen"*
FHA 12; **Accent** 11, 12.

McCormick, Donna Ann — *"Donna"*
HR Pres. 11, Sec. 12; Student Council 11; Bus Driver 11; Inter-Keys 11, Vice-pres. 12.

McElroy, Susan Gail — *"Gail"*
Spanish Club 11; HR Treas. 10; Red Cross Club 10, 11; GAA 10; **Somecka** Business Staff 11; **Somecka** 12; Inter-Keys 11, Sec. 12; Girls' Ensemble 11; Choir 12.

McFarland, Brian Thomas — *"Brian"*
Band 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11, 12; Transfer from Garinger, 11.

McFarland, Gary Graham — *"Gary"*
Football 10, 11; HR officer 10; Transfer from Virginia Beach, Va., 12.

McGinn, Marianne — *"Marianne"*
GAA 10; FHA 11, 12.

McKenzie, Judith Burke — *"Judy"*
Band 10, 11, 12.

McMurray, Clemestine — *"Clemestine"*

McPheron, Linda Anne — *"Linda"*
HR Sec. 10; GAA 10; FHA 10; Transfer from Greensboro, N.C., 11.

Merriam, Melanie — *"Melanie"*
French Club 10, 11; Cheerleader 11, Co-head 12; Class Vice-pres. 10; HR Treas. 10, 11, Vice-pres. 12; FHA 10; Student Council 12; Pep Club 10; National Honor Society 12.

Merritt, Marilyn Louise — *"Marilyn"*
Red Cross Club 10; Choir 11, 12.

Millbern, Susan L. — *"Susan"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, Treas. 12; Jr. Marshal; Red Cross Club 11; SOS Pres. 12; GAA 10; Bus Driver 12.

Millen, Cathleen Marie — *"Cathy"*
Spanish Club 11; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11.

Miller, Patricia Ann — *"Pat"*
French Club 10, 11, 12; FHA 12; Choir 11, 12.

Mills, John Patrick, Jr. — *"John"*
Latin Club 11, 12; Baseball 10; Cross Country 11; Track 11, 12; HR Pres. 12; Young Americans 12; Interact 11, 12; Student Council 12.

Mills, Kathryn Grace — *"Kathy"*
HR officer 12; FHA 11; Choir 12.

Mills, Sharon Elaine — *"Buffie"*
French Club 10; Pep Club 10; FHA 11, 12; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Mobley, Sylvia Ann — *"Sylvia"*

Mole, Thomas Allan — *"Tommy"*
National Honor Society 12; Cross Country 11, Captain 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, Sec. 12; Interact 11, 12; CESP 11, 12.

Montezinos, David Lee — *"David"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; French Club 11; Jr. Marshal; **Accent** 12.

Montgomery, Mae — *"Mae"*
GAA 12; Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Moody, Cynthia Louise — *"Cyndy"*
HR officer 11; FHA 10, 11.

Moore, Deborah Louise — *"Debbie"*
HR Treas. 11, 12; Red Cross Club 10, Pres. 11; FHA 10, 11, 12; **Somecka** Business Manager 12; Business Club 11, Pres. 12.

Moore, Julia Ann — *"Julie"*
Red Cross Club 10, 11; Dramatics Club 12; Girls' Ensemble 11.

Moore, Shawn Patrick — *"Shawn"*

Morgan, Dennis Franklin — *"Dennis"*
Transfer from West Mecklenburg 10.

Morris, Joe H. — *"Joe"*
French Club 10; Wrestling 11, 12; Tennis 12; Red Cross Club 12.

Morris, Sandra Kay — *"Sandra"*

Mullis, Harold Eugene — *"Gene"*
Bus Driver 11, 12; Transfer from Fort Mill, S.C., 11.

Myers, Andrea Louise — *"Andrea"*
Girls' Ensemble 11; Choir 12.

Nahrgang, Janis Marie — *"Janis"*
FHA 11.

Nash, Jane Ellen — *"Jane"*
French Club 11.

Nash, William — *"William"*
Bus Driver 11; VICA 12.

Neal, Bonnie Parnell —*"Bonnie"*
Spanish Club 11; GAA 10, Treas. 11; FHA 11.

Neely, Susan Lee — *"Susan"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; HR Vice-pres. 11, Sec. 12; FTA 12; CESP 12; Choir 12; Girls' Ensemble 11.

Nehrenberg, James Donald — *"Shorty"*
**Accent** 11.

Neighbors, Paula Jill — *"Jill"*
FHA 10, 11; Dramatics 11; Choir 11; DECA 12; Transfer from Forest City, N.C., 12.

Nelson, Margaret Elizabeth — *"Margaret"*
National Honor Society 11, Vice-pres. 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; Girls' State 11; HR pres. 10, 11, Vice-pres. 12; Teen Tones 12; Student Council 10, 11; CESP 11, 12; Inter-Keys 11, 12; Choir 12; Girls' Ensemble 11.

Nelson, William Hardage — *"Bill"*
HR officer 10; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; Senior Follies 12.

Nesbitt, John Archie, II — *"John"*
South Men 10, 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, Pres. 12; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Student Council 12; Bus Driver 11, Pres. 12; Choir 10, 11, Pres. 12.

Nicholson, Ronald Hugh — *"Ronnie"*

Nicks, Johnny William — *"Johnny"*
VICA 12.

Norby, Allen Paul — *"Paul"*
Golf 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; German Club 11; Transfer from Richmond, Va., 11.

Olive, Mary Lynda — *"Lynda"*
GAA 10; FHA 11, 12.

Oliver, Randall Connor — *"Randy"*
Pep Club 10; Young Americans 10; CESP 11, 12.

Olsen, David Edward — *"David"*
Latin Club 11; Wolfgang 11; Transfer from Jacksonville, Fla., 12.

Otey, Leigh Elizabeth — *"Leigh"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Pep Club 10; HR Sec. 11; FHA 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; Senior Follies Committee 12.

Parker, Patricia Gail — *"Patty"*
National Honor Society 11, Treas. 12; Latin Club 10, Vice-pres. 11, 12; Governor's School 10; HR Pres. 10, Treas. 12; **Somecka** 11, 12; Student Council 10; Bus Driver 11, 12; CESP 11, 12; Choir 11.

Parks, Hildegarde Elizabeth — *"Liz"*
Cheerleader 10, 11; Class Officer 10; Annual Business Staff 10, 11; Annual Editorial Staff 10, 11; Student Council 10; DECA 12; Transfer from Christian High, 12.

Partridge, Diana Faye — *"Diana"*
Spanish Club 12; Red Cross Club 10, 11, 12; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; FHA 11, 12; HR Reporter 11.

Perry, Kenneth Carmen — *"Ken"*
Spanish Club 12; Latin Club 10, 11; Baseball 10; Audio-visual 12.

Perry, Mary Lana — *"Lana"*
FHA 11; Girls' Ensemble 11; DECA 12.

Pevey, Linda — *"Linda"*
FHA 11, Sec. 12.

Picard, Michelle — *"Michelle"*
CESP Exchange Student from Luxembourg; National Honor Society 12; French Club 12; Latin Club 12; GAA 12; Student Council 12; CESP 12; Inter-Keys 12.

Pickle, Rebecca Sue — *"Becky"*
French Club 10, Sec. 11; National Honor Society 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, 12, Pres. 11; Red Cross Club 10; Young Americans 10, 11; **Somecka** 11, Editor 12; Student Council 11, 12; Inter-Keys Vice-pres. 11, Pres. 12; CESP Treas. 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11.

Pinson, Carolyn — *"Carolyn"*
GAA 10, 12, Sec. 11.

Pinson, Kathryn — *"Kathryn"*
French Club 10, 11; Young Americans 10; Bus Driver 12; CESP 11.

Pippin, William Scott — *"Bill"*
Football 10.

Poetzsch, John David — *"John"*
Bus Driver 11, 12.

Politis, Helen — *"Helen"*
Math Club 10; Transfer from Las Vegas, Nevada, 11.

Pope, Thomas Christopher — *"Tom"*
Latin Club 10, 11; Art Club 10.

Potts, Cora Vontina — *"Vontina"*
Transfer from Sterling High 10.

Pofet, Mary Jo — *"Mary Jo"*
French Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; FHA 11.

Pugh, Charles Scott — *"Scott"*
French Club 10, 11; **Somecka** 12.

Rafferty, Gerald Lee — *"Gerry"*
Baseball 10; South Men 11.

Ragon, Jay Barrington — *"Jay"*
Spanish Club 11; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Ramey, Warren Anderson, III — *"Andy"*
National Honor Society 12; Track 12; Golf 10, 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 10, 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Interact 10, 11, Treas. 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12.

Rankin, Edward James — *"Ed"*
Football 10; Track 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 10, 11, 12.

Redden, Suzanne Bernadette — *"Suzanne"*
Pep Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; FHA 10, 11; DECA 12.

Reid, Betty Erwin — *"Betty"*
FHA 11; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Renfro, John Cannon — *"Cannon"*
Track 10, 11, 12; Boys' State 11; HR Vice-pres. 10, Pres. 11, 12; Audio-visual 12; Interact 10, 11, Director 12; Student Council 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 12.

Reynolds, David Thomas — *"David"*

Rhodes, Geraldine — *"Jerry"*

Rhodes, Jane Lee — *"Jane"*
FHA 11; Girls' Ensemble 12.

Rhyne, Patricia Carol — *"Patty"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 12; Pep Club 10; Lettergirl Co-head 12; HR Treas. 10, Sec. 11, 12; Red Cross Club 10; Young Americans 10; **Somecka** 11, 12; CESP 10, 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11.

Richards, Donald Fredrick — *"Don"*
Transfer from Hudson, N.C., 11.

Richardson, Rodney Dodge — *"Rod"*
Mustang Medics 11; Transfer from Myers Park High School 12.

Riggins, Wayne Herschell — *"Wayne"*
Football 10; Cross Country 10; Audio-visual 11; Band 10; Swimming 10; Transfer from Greensboro, N.C., 11;

Rinaldi, Judy Karren — *"Judy"*
GAA 10; FHA 11, 12.

Rinesh, Penny Ann — *"Penny"*
Spanish Club 10, 12; FHA 10, 12; Dramatics 10; Library Asst. 12.

Roberts, Marilyn Josephine — *"Marilyn"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Marshal; Band 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 11, 12.

Roberts, Sharon Elizabeth — *"Sharon"*

Roberson, Robin Catherine — *"Robin"*
Latin Club 10; Pep Club 10; Red Cross Club 11; **Somecka** 12; Dramatics 11; Art Club 10, Pres. 12.

Robinson, Dorothy Mae — *"Dorothy"*

Robinson, Steven Warren — *"Steve"*
Spanish Club 10; Football 10; Dramatics 11.

Rogers, Donald Martin — *"Don"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; South Men 11, 12; Choir 12; Chess Club 12.

Romeis, William Ronald — *"Ronnie"*
French Club 10, 11; South Men 12; Class Pres. 12; HR Pres. 10; Interact 11, 12; Student Council 10, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; Student Forum 10, 12.

Rucker, William Allen, Jr. — *"Allen"*
Latin Club 10, 11; Track 11; Soccer 11, 12; Interact 11, 12.

Russom, Vicki Anne — *"Vicki"*
HR Vice-pres. 10, 11; **Somecka** Business Staff 10; Student Council 12; Inter-Keys 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

B-building displays Spirit Week decor fashioned with senior enthusiasm.

Sanders, Creola — *"Creola"*

Sanders, Elizabeth — *"Betty"*
French Club 10; Pep Club 10; HR officer 10; Red Cross Club 10, 11; Teen Tones 12; FHA 11; Dramatics 10, 11; Bus Driver 10; Choir 11, 12.

Satterfield, Roger Lynn — *"Smokey"*
Football 10, 11; HR Sec. 10; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Schaffer, Deborah Anne —*"Debbie"*
Red Cross Club 10; FHA 10, 12; **Accent** 12.

Schatz, Susan Rawlinson — *"Susan"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Latin Club 12; HR Vice-pres. 12.

Schliestett, Victoria Irene — *"Vicky"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Spanish Club 10; Spanish Honor Society 10, 11, 12; Wildacres 11; HR Sec. 11, Treas. 12; **Somecka** 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee Chairman 11.

Schultz, Sandra Gail — *"Sandy"*
Sabrettes 12; FHA 12, Parliamentarian 11; Business Club Vice-pres. 12.

Seymour, Nancy Wallis — *"Nancy"*
Latin Club 10; FHA 11, 12; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Shapiro, Robert Scott — *"Shap"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 11; Soccer 11, 12; Audio-visual 11; Young Americans 11, 12; Monogram Club 12; **Somecka** 12; CESP 12; National Honor Society 12; Senior Follies Committee 12.

Sharick, Georgette Mary — *"Georgette"*
HR Treas. 10; FTA 10.

Shaver, Kenneth Daniel — *"Danny"*
Spanish Club 11; HR officer 10; **Accent** 11.

Shaw, James Benny — *"Jimmy"*
Spanish Club 11; Soccer 10; Red Cross Club 10; Basketball 12.

Shockley, David Clyde — *"David"*
Cross Country 11; Track 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Interact 11, 12.

Simmonds, James Richard — *"Richard"*
Spanish Club 11; Football 10, 12; Track 10; 11, 12; HR Treas. 11; Red Cross Club 10; Monogram Club 11; Key Club 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Chess Club 12.

Skerry, Margaret Ann — *"Peggy"*
Spanish Club 10, 11, 12; HR Sec. 12; FHA 11; Art Club 10.

Smith, Carol Ann — *"Carol"*
Sabrette 11, 12.

Smith, Cheri Fae — *"Cheri"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; GAA 10, 11, 12.

Smith, David H. — *"David"*
Cross Country 10, 11; Track 10, 11; HR officer 10, 11; Student Council 11; Transfer from Asheville, N.C., 12.

Smith, Jack Milton — *"Jack"*
Wrestling 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Smith, Michael Edward — *"Mike"*
Transfer from Camden, S.C., 12.

Smith, Nancy Carol — *"Nancy"*
French Club 11; Pep Club 10; HR Treas. 10; FHA 12; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Southerland, Leslie Irene — *"Leslie"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; Latin Club 10; FHA 10; FTA 12; Bus Driver 11, 12; CESP 11, 12; Choir 11, 12.

Spearman, Walter Cuthbertson, Jr. — *"Walter"*
French Club 11; Football 10, Manager 11, 12; Wrestling 10, 11, 12; HR Pres. 11, Vice-pres. 10, 12; Interact 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11.

Spoon, Jan Kristen — *"Jan"*
French Club 10, 11; Young Americans 10, 12; FHA 11; **Somecka** Business Staff 10, 11; **Somecka** 12; Good Books Club 10; Dramatics 10, 12; Art Club 12; FTA 12; **Accent** 11.

Stafford, Mary Julie — *"Julie"*
French Club 11, 12; HR officer 10; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

Stallings, Violet Lee — *"Vie"*
Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Red Cross Club 12; GAA 10, 11; Transfer from Durham, N.C., 12.

Stanford, Judy Diane — *"Judy"*
Pep Club 10; FHA 12; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 12; Business Club 12.

Stephens, Lee Antha — *"Lee"*
Teen Tones 12; Choir 11, 12.

Stewart, Cynthia Lee — *"Cindy"*
Latin Club 10.

Story, Marion Kay — *"Kay"*
French Club 11; Girls' Ensemble 12.

Straple, Richard Anthony — *"Richie"*
South Men 10, 11, Pres. 12; Football 10; Wrestling 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Stuart, Janet Boyd — *"Janet"*
French Club 10, 11; Choir 11, 12; Girls' Ensemble 10.

Surratt, James Michael — *"Michael"*
Spanish Club 12; HR officer 11.

Tatum, Richard Grey, Jr. —*"Richie"*
Baseball 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 10, Captain 11; Monogram Club 11, 12.

Taylor, Clarence Rosevelt — *"Clarence"*
Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Teal, Cindy Jean — *"Cindy"*
Spanish Club 11; HR Treas. 10, Sec. 11; Bus Driver 11, 12; Choir 12; Girls' Ensemble 11.

Toomey, Kathleen Marie — *"Kathy"*
Red Cross Club 11; Dramatics 12; Choir 11, 12.

Troutman, Jacob Claude, III — *"Ted"*
Latin Club 10; HR Vice-pres. 11, Pres. 12; Interact 10, 11, Pres. 12; Student Council 12.

Turner, Martha Ellen — *"Martha"*
Spanish Club 11, 12; Latin Club 10; Pep Club 10; Monogram Club 10; Dramatics Club 10, 11, 12; Art Club 10, 11, 12; Transfer from Spartanburg, S.C., 10.

Tyler, Tobi — *"Tobi"*
HR officer 10, 11.

Umphlette, Gary Lewis — *"Gary"*
Football 10, 11.

Vaden, Michael Thomas — *"Mike"*
National Honor Society 11, 12; Latin Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Marshal; Monogram Club 11, 12; Key Club 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12.

Vance, Betty Mae — *"Betty"*
DECA 12.

Choir members expel disruptive cameraman from rehearsal.

Miss Mecklenburg confers with college-bound senior.

Van Dyke, Thomas Levi — *"Tommy"*
Baseball 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 11; HR Sec. 10, Treas. 11; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Veselick, Robert Bradley — *"Brad"*
Football 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 11; Cross Country 10, 11, 12; HR Officer 12; Transfer from Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, 12.

Vincent, Shelley — *"Shelley"*
Transfer from Myers Park High, 11.

Wagner, Jerry Wayne — *"Jerry"*

Walden, Curtis Jae — *"Jae"*
Spanish Club 12; Cross Country 11, 12; Track 11, 12; Soccer 12; Audio-visual 10, 12; **Accent** 12.

Waldron, Michael R. — *"Mike"*

Walker, Marcia Rena — *"Marcia"*
Spanish Club 12; **Somecka** Business Staff 12; Dramatics 12; HR Reporter 12; Transfer from Alexandria, Va., 11.

Wall, George Bryan — *"Bryan"*
Football 10, 11, Tri-captain 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Class Pres. 10, 11; Key Club 10, 11, Pres. 12; Student Council 10, 11; Bus Driver 10, 11, 12.

Walters, Sarah Linda — *"Linda"*

Wamsley, Sallie McAfee — *"Sallie"*
Pep Club 10; FHA 11; **Somecka** Business Staff 11; Dramatics 11; DECA 12.

Warren, Norman Daniel — *"Dan"*
German Club 10, 11; Art Club 11; Transfer from Miami, Fla., 12.

Washburn, Harold Delos, III — *"Trippy"*
Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12.

Wasiolek, Stephen Joseph — *"Steve"*
Spanish Club 11.

Webber, Linda Kay — *"Kay"*

Webster, Daphne Lynn — *"Daphne"*
Young Americans 10.

Wells, Carolyn Frances — *"Carolyn"*
French Club 10, 11, Vice-pres. 12; Pep Club 10; HR Sec. 10, 11, 12; FHA 10, 12, Sec. 11; **Somecka** Business Staff 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

Welsh, Robert Brownlee — *"Robert"*
Audio-visual 10, 12; **Somecka** 11.

West, Peggy Jean — *"Peggy"*
DECA 11, 12.

West, William Day — *"Willie"*
Football 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; HR Pres. 12; Monogram Club Treas. 12; **Somecka** 12; Student Council Vice-pres. 11; National Honor Society 12.

Whisnant, Sharon Celeste — *"Sharon"*
GAA 11, 12; Treas. 10; Bus Driver 11, 12.

White, Florence Courtney — *"Courtney"*
Spanish Club 10; Red Cross Club 10; Transfer from Winston-Salem, N.C., 11.

Whitfield, Eddie Reid — *"Eddie"*

Whitley, Pamela Josephine — *"Pam"*
Spanish Club 12; HR Sec. 10, Pres. 11; Student Council 11; Dramatics 10; Bus Driver 11, 12; Art Club 10.

Wicker, Thomas Eugene — *"Tom"*
Cross Country 10; Track 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; HR Vice-pres. 12; Monogram Club 12.

Williams, Celeste Louise — *"Celeste"*
HR Vice-pres. 10; GAA 11.

Williams, Cynthia Ann — *"Cynthia"*
Spanish Club 11; Cheerleader 12; Class Sec. 11; FHA 11; Choir 11, 12; Carrousel Princess 12; Sophomore Beauty; Senior Beauty.

Williams, Gary Lee — *"Gary"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; Boys' State 11; HR Pres. 10, 11; Audio-visual 10, 11, 12; Interact 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 11, Pres. 12.

Wilson, Charles Philpott — *"Phil"*
Football 10; Wrestling 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 11, 12; Audio-visual 11; Monogram Club 11, 12.

Wilson, Jane Maria — *"Jane"*
Latin Club 10; HR officer 12; Red Cross Club 11; Teen Tones 12; **Accent** 12; Choir 11, 12.

Wilson, Rick Dale — *"Cooter"*
Transfer from Clinton, S.C., 11.

Witt, Jenny Wilson — *"Jenny"*

Woodell, Linda Susan — *"Sissy"*
FHA 10, 11; Dramatics 12.

Worz, Sally Anne — *"Sally"*
Spanish Club 10, 11; HR Sec. 10, Treas. 12; FHA 10, 11, 12; **Somecka** 11, 12.

Wray, Ronald Gene — *"Gene"*
Band 10, 11, 12; Bus Driver 11, 12.

Yandell, William Alexander — *"William"*
Spanish Club 11; Audio-visual 11, 12.

Young, Alice Pearl — *"Alice"*

Zachary, William Robert — *"Zac"*
Latin Club 10, 11; Wrestling 10, 11, 12; Track 10; HR Treas. 11; Audio-visual 11; Monogram Club 12; Choir 11, 12.

Zahos, Stephen Charles — *"Steve"*
South Men 11, 12; Spanish Club 10, 11; Baseball Mgr. 10; HR Vice-pres. 12; Bus Driver 11; Choir 11, 12.

Zeigler, William Noble — *"Bill"*

# Junior Class officers mature with responsibility

Vice-President: Wes Hege

President: Mike Dailey

Secretary: Lee Baker

Treasurer: Robbie Dickson

Advisors: Miss Ellenburg and Miss Hatley

George Acker
Nick Adams
Paula Adkins
Doug Agnew
Janice Alberto
Alee Alexander

Melinda Allen
Olivia Allen
Myrtle Allison
Susan Allman
Lynn Andrews
Sandra Anthony

Don Arbuckle
Sammy Ardrey
Elaine Austin
Robbie Baigas
Lee Baker
Marsha Baker

Pat Baker
Reade Baker
Russ Baker
David Barkley
Herb Barnes
Susan Barnes

Robert Barnhardt
George Beaty
Mark Bellamy
Gretchen Bender
Vicki Bennett
Lanee Berger

Andy Betts
Janet Blair
Lu Alice Blakeney
Deborah Bodenheimer
Penny Boerman
Karen Bohanan

Ginger Borror
Dan Boyd
Larry Boyd
Randy Boyd
Kathy Bramhall
Joy Brantley

Susan Bridges
Marsha Brissie
Patricia Broom
Tommy Broughton
Annette Brown
Ray Brown

Robert Brown
Debbie Bryant
Vickie Bryant
Suzanne Buchanan
Locke Bultman
Harvey Bumgardner

Debbie Burke
Phil Burris
Debbie Butler
Tommy Caddell
Jeanette Caldwell
Stan Campbell

Diane Carlson
Sandy Carnegie
Wade Carpenter
Carolyn Carter
Susan Case
Barbara Cassady
Mike Cassel

Janice Catoe
Craig Chadwick
Debra Christensen
Cathy Clark
Mike Clark
Tom Clark
Bill Clary

Betty Cole
Sylvia Coley
Jerry Coleman
Clyde Cook
Glenda Cook
Karen Cook
Steve Cook

Penny Courson
Bruce Cox
Glenn Crabtree
Kay Crabtree
Mike Craig
Cheryl Crawford
Garry Cribb

# Select juniors enjoy fruits of

Ernie Creech
Brek Cunningham
Mike Dailey

Bonnie Cuff
David Cunningham
Jim Dalgleish

Jackie Culp
Richard Currier
Melissa Daniel

Margie Culp
Gail Dabbs
Duree Daniels

Mrs. Kincaid discusses Hawthorne's **Scarlet Letter.**

Joy Daniels
Donna Darnell
Allen Davis
Dianna Davis

Ginger Davis
Karen Davis
Marsha Davis
Mike Davis

Nancy Davis
Sammy Delancy
Mark Dennis
Dorr Depew

Charles Derrick
Lucy Dickerson
Robbie Dickson
Jack Dietz

Claudia Donahue
Jim Doss
Susan Drye
Marguerite Duffy

Miss Ellenburg is satisfied with a day's work.

# achievement at fall N.H.S. inductions

Paul Dulin
Mary Dunaway
Richard Dyer
Linda Dykstra
Chip Eaker
Brenda Earnheart
Cindy Earthman

Jeanie Edwards
Phil Edwards
Todd Edwards
Joan Edwin
Beth Einhart
Rick Elkins
Martin Eller

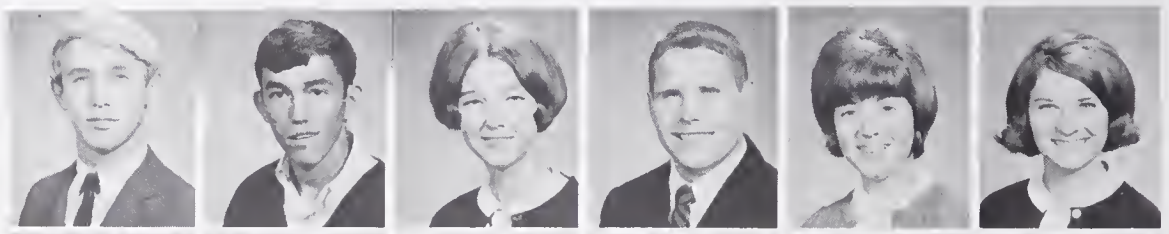
Mark Ellington
Daniel Elliot
Amy Elliott
Ret Elliot
Debbie Ellis
John Eriksen
Duke Ernsberger

David Ervin
Sylvia Estes
Teresa Faires
Nancy Fare
Craig Farrell
Polly Faxon
Gary Fee

Juniors get a warning of what's to come through PSAT's.

# Students Await Tests for college entrance

Scott Ferebee
Jimmy Ferguson
Millie Ferguson
Bruce Fernie
Debbie Ferreira
Dawn Findlay



Don Fisher
Jon Fisher
Willie Fisher
Janet Fitch
Julie Fleck
Ginny Flynn

Barbie Flynt
Richard Fort
Ed Fowler
Susan Freeman
Scott Freshcorn
Tricia Gainey

Peachie Garges
Greg Garland
Charles Gettis
Sammy Gianopulos
Karen Gibson
Arthur Gilliam

Thomas Gilliam
Phoebe Gilliland
Debbie Gilmore
Karen Girard
Leigh Ann Gisinger
Michele Glenham

Linda Goodman
Jack Goodnight
Ken Gordon
Helen Graham
Paulette Griffis
Doug Groom

Bob Gubar
Leita Guild
Kathy Guise
Dan Hackney
Mike Hackney
Orman Haeberle
Angie Hall

Earnestine Hamilton
Joe Hamilton
Pat Hammel
Hugh Harkey
Joe Harris
Mike Harris
Skeet Harris

Jimmy Harrison
Debbie Hartis
Don Hartis
Phyllis Hartis
Vicki Hartwig
Jim Harvey
Bill Hasbrouck

Neal Hayman
Carol Heaven
Sylvia Heavener
Tom Hefferon
Gene Hefner
Wes Hege
Steve Helms

Gary Helton
David Hemenway
Jeff Henkel
Jon Henkel
Nancy Herdje
Ann Hester
Elmer Hilker

Betsy Hill
Vickie Hill
Ray Hilton
Gini Hilton
Vernon Himebauch
Kale Hinnant
Doug Hinson

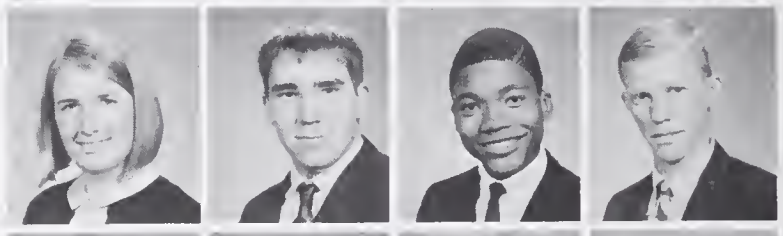
# Junior girls show a beautiful side of South

Junior beauties Dianna Davis and Marion Kinney "put on a new face."

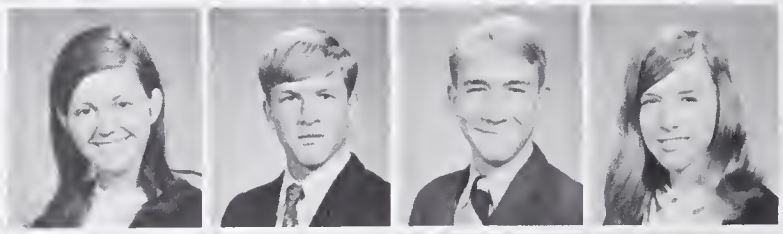
Vivacious Susie Starnes helps sell football tickets.

Sherry Hinson
Robin Hobby
Jonette Hock
David Holbrook

Pam Holcombe
Robert Hoppe
Larry Horne
Leonard Horne

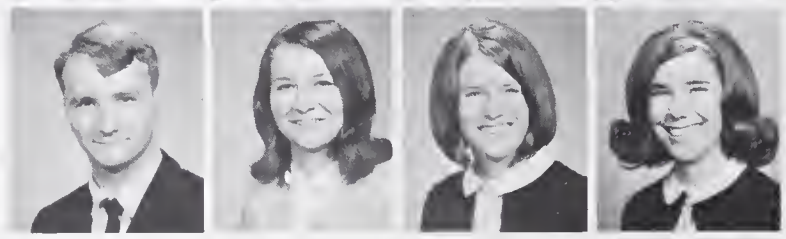


Mary Ann Horne
Ken Horton
Bob Hostetler
Shirley Houck



Fred Houk
Charlie House
Herman Howell
Joy Howie

Bill Hubbard
Mary Hubbard
Juanita Hudman
Jane Hughes



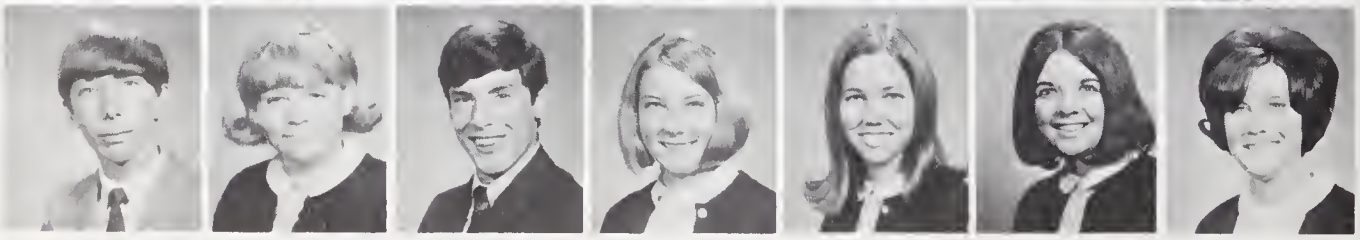
# "Stomp the Eagles Day" pours some

Mark Hughes
Jane Humphries
Mack Insch
Mike Irwin
Donnie Jackson
Marilyn Jackson
Bill Jacobsen

Wileen Jacobsen
Catherine Johnson
Mark Johnson
Mark Johnson
Janice Johnstone
Frances Jones
Lynne Jones

Peter Jorgenson
Darryl Jorgor
Eddie Julian
Jerry Keil
Tom Keil
Charlotte Keith
Joy Kelley

Steve Kelley
Bobbi Kennedy
Steve Kerhoulas
Francie King
Marion Kinney
Debbie Kirkley
Doris Kirkpatrick



Wanda Kirkpatrick
William Kirkpatrick
Walter Kleckley
Artie Knighten
Butch Koerner
Brian Koob
Wesley Koons

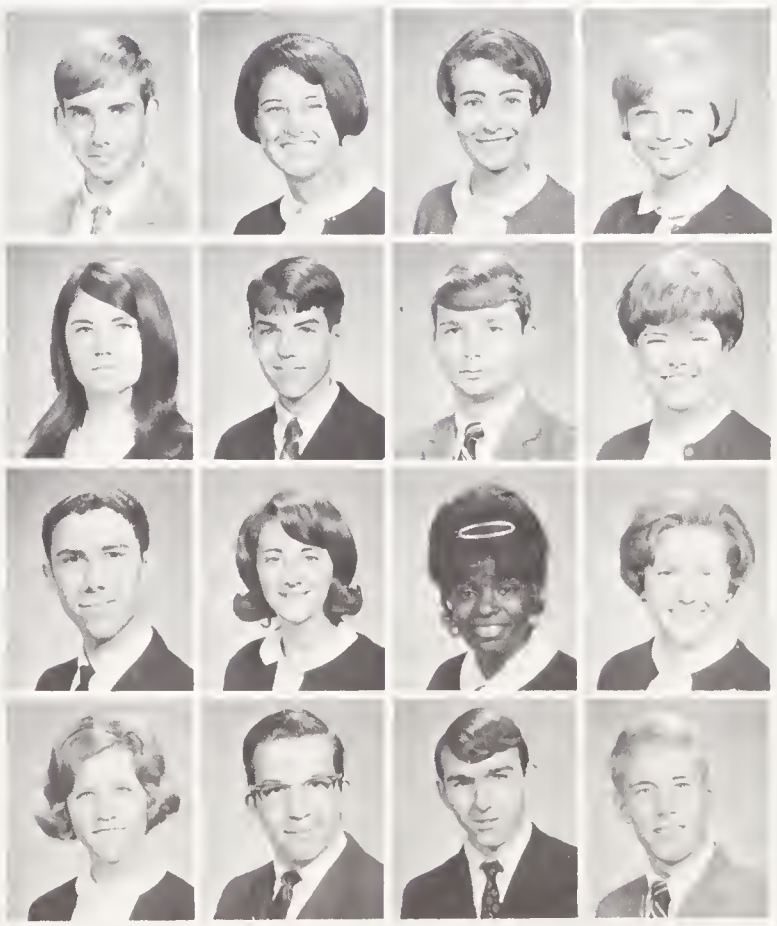
Banks Koontz
Dale Lakeman
Debbie Lambe
Marsha Landers
Anita Lapham
Greg Ledford
Taylor LeGrone

John Leininger
Jerry Levin
Myles Levin
Steve Lewis
Susan Lewis
Cheryl Linthicum
Nancy Lipscomb

Beth Lockwood
Beth Long
Chuck Long
Vicki Lupo
Judy Lynn
Charles Mallas
Jean Mann

# excitement into daily routine

Julie Fleck and Beth Einhart show off "eagle stomping shoes."



Paul Mariette
Debra Marrow
Gloria Marsh
Brenda Martin

Diane Martin
Milton Martin
Doyt Mason
Mary Anne Matthews

Doug McCarver
Pat McClain
Brenda McClinton
Wanda McClure

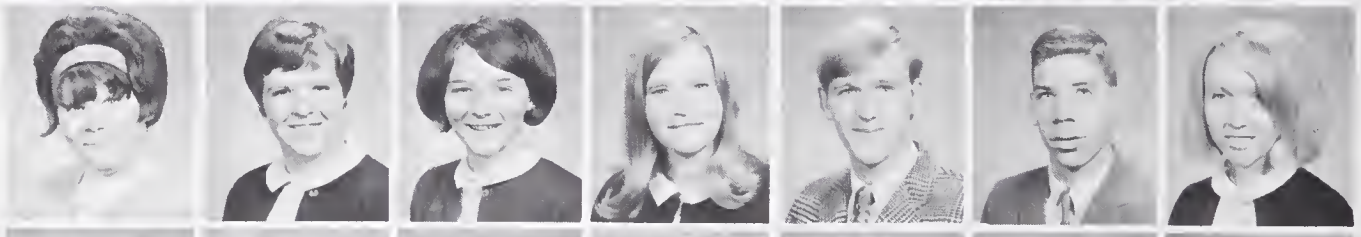
Debbie McCormick
John McCoy
Richard McCoy
Richard McCulloch

Underclassmen eagerly await the day when they put on their senior rings.

# Juniors anxiously await seniority

Dotty McDonald
David McFall
Sam McGinn
Douglas McKenzie
Tim McSwain
Sue Meacham
Laura Merritt

Debbie Miller
Susan Minnick
Kathy Miracle
Dianne Monroe
Tommy Montgomery
Richard Moody
Janice Moore



Karin Moore
Linda Moore
Cathy Moorefield
Gail Morris
Glenn Morris
Steve Morris
Bill Morrison

Maurice Moss
Steve Mueller
Anne Mullis
Catherine Mullis
Nancy Mullis
Bret Munsey
Prissy Myers

David Naples
Elaine Nash
Willie Nash
Bill Nelson
Doug Newell
Mary Newton
Hank Nichols

Dale Norman
Terry Norris
Meg Northrop
Janice Nowlan
Vernon O'Daniel
Keith Olive
Terry Olsen

Ronnie Osborne
Cindy Owens
Chris Paine
Diane Paradise
Lee Parker
Jackie Pate
Frank Patterson

Tom Patton
Ray Peck
Mark Pedersen
Bill Pieper
Deb Pierce
Terry Plyler
Janiee Porter

Wanda Porter
Sandi Porterfield
Sharon Post
Bessie Poulos
Cindy Pragaez
Phil Prager
Gary Prillaman

Becky Prosser
Don Price
Rosalind Price
David Ray
Roger Rea
Gary Reavis
Charles Reed

J. B. Reeves
Jean Reeves
Tricia Reeves
Bob Reed
Rosellen Renwick
Joanne Reynolds
Susan Riggins

Glenn Riser
Helen Risk
Duffy Robbins
Guy Robbins
Steve Roberts
Barbara Robinson
Eric Robinson

# History students learn pride in America

Miss Morrow informs tomorrow's citizens by emphasizing current events.

Juniors look forward to their senior year.

# Class Day activities

Richard Robinson
Patricia Robinson
Shirley Robinson

Laura Rogers
Philip Rogers
Tom Roggenkamp

David Ross
Dee Royer
Lonnie Russell

Donna Salzer
Carl Sanders
Carol Sanders

Donna Sanders
Susan Sangster
Wanda Satterfield
Missy Schmidt
Karen Schneider
Richard Schnupper
Jane Seymour
Betty Jo Shackleton

Cindy Shannon
Anne Sharrett
Tom Sherman
Robert Shoaf
Debra Simmons
Glenn Sims
Terry Sims
Kathy Sitton

Cathy Slesinger
Anna Smith
Danny Smith
Hattie Pearl Smith
Karen Smith
Melanie Smith
Roger Smith
Ronnie Smith

Sandra Smith
Tommy Smith
Martha Snipes
Rod Southworth
Beckie Spake
Sherry Spencer
Donna Spoor
Billie Squires

Janine Stacey
Bill Standish
Pam Starnes
Susie Starnes
Dick Stewart
Don Stewart
Olin Stewart
Roy Stewart

# are exciting close to Junior Year

Tracy Stewart
Larry Stigall
Mary Storm
Pam Strain
Becky Strawn
Jane Suiter

Benita Summers
Roddy Swanson
Aleta Sweet
Vicki Tatum
Cindy Taylor
Manny Taylor

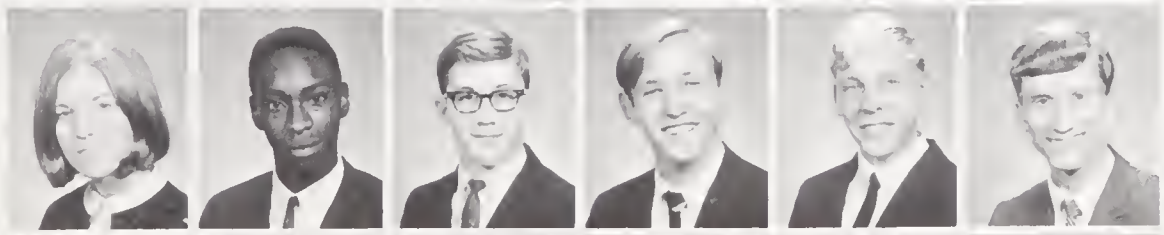
Gary Thaxton
Debbie Thomas
Faye Thomasson
Jimmy Thompson
Gayle Thornton
Nancy Tool

Marsha Trainham
Trip Trull
Laura Turner
Linda Turner
Sherry Turner
Cheri Underwood

Martha Underwood
Ricky Van Dyke
Nancy Vaughn
Connie Viles
Steve Voyles
Hank Wall

Dwight Walters
Ronnie Walters
Nancy Wean
Jane Wegener
Nancy Weir
Nita Wells

Marti Whitaker
Terry White
Charley Wilkerson
Carol Williams
David Williams
Debby Wilson



Donna Wilson
Jerome Wilson
Steve Withrow
Richard Wodarski
Jim Wood
Mike Woollen

Buddy Wyche
Gregg Wyer
Linda Yates
Susie Yoakley
Carrie Young
Lillian Young

# 650 individuals begin a new life at South

Secretary: Susan Carter

Vice-President: Mike Hague

President: Craig Gillen

Treasurer: Tobi Wallace

Advisor: Mr. Brevard

David Abercrombie
Kenneth Abernethy
Judyellen Abramson
Morris Adams
Ogreta Addison
Chuck Adkins
Jeff Adkins
Roger Adkins

Carol Alberto
Bill Alexander
Debbie Alexander
Chuck Allen
Donna Allen
Susan Allen
Jimmy Ammons
Brad Anderson

David Anthony
Becky Armstrong
Bill Atkins
Martha Atkins
Joy Auville
Wendy Badger
Jimmy Baggs
Lester Baggs

Mary Cele Bain
Cindy Baker
Diane Baker
Rick Baldt
Mike Ballard
Kathy Banisch
Claude Banks
Odessa Barber

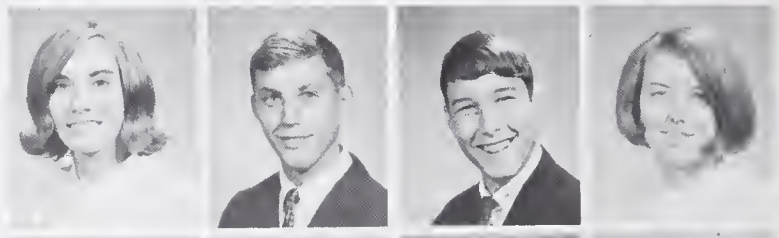
Debra Barkley
June Barksdale
Nancy Barry
Sheila Bartlett
Debbie Bass
Joe Bates
Sandra Bayley
Marty Beacom

Sophomore girls learn the value of a clean lab.

Malinda Beasley
Dorothee Becker
Debbie Bell
Kate Bender

Beth Benjaminson
Kathy Bennett
Julie Bernard
Gerald Berry

Ginny Bingham
Danny Bions
Alan Birchwood
Carol Bishop



Mary Ann Bishop
Belinda Black
Christine Blackney
Shawn Blackwell

Carla Blades
Harry Blankenship
Kathy Blansett
Rick Blasingame

Patti Bookout
Debbie Booth
Lynn Borders
Linda Bowden
Tim Bowman
Evans Boyer
Sammy Boylston

Teresa Braaten
Janice Bradey
Isaac Brandon
Jimmy Bridges
Lisa Bridgewater
Vernon Bright
Leta Britain

Ted Brooker
Walter Broome
Derek Brown
Karen Brown
Dee Dee Buckner
Beverly Bumgardner
Mal Bumgarner

Buddy Burkholder
Kathy Jo Burnett
Karen Burns
Linda Bursley
Don Byrnes
Dickie Caddell
Cathy Caldwell

# Sophomore scientists learn laboratory skills in biology

Sarah Caldwell
Skip Calvard
Danny Camp
Steve Camp
Jeff Campbell
Jimmy Cannon
Bunny Canupp
Alison Carmichael

Mary M. Carmichael
Cathy Carnes
John Carpenter
Cindy Carriker
Gregg Carter
Susan Carter
Lizzie Catoe
Ricky Chandley

Mike Chapman
Cathy Charles
Steve Chestnut
Linda Christ
Clifton Chupp
Jean Claar
Bill Clark
Joe Clark

Cathy Cline
Alan Clontz
Linda Cobb
Terry Coggin
Bill Coleman
Lynne Conger
Barbara Conley
Jeff Conrad

Ralph Cook
Kate Couch
Frances Council
Debby Cowan
Valerie Craemer
Perry Crane
Gale Crawford
Vicki Crews

Barbara Cribbs
Carolyn Crisler
Gwendolyn Cureton
Gracie Curry
Linda Curry
Janice Curtwright
Mike Davis
Sheila Davis

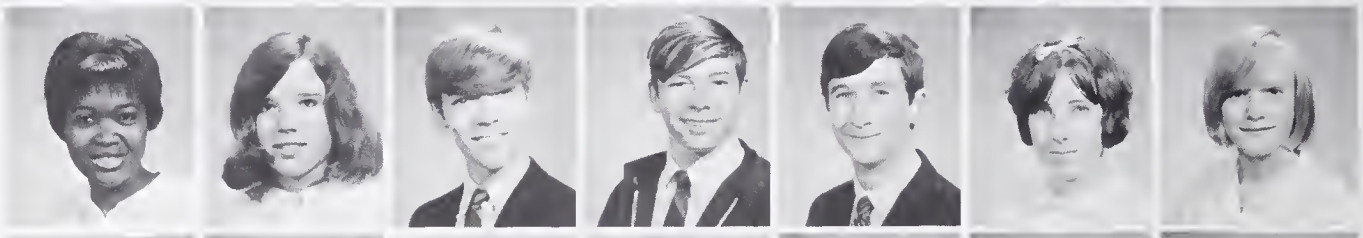
Bob Dean
Cathy Deaton
Arch de Castrique
Rachel Deen
Dorothea Deese
Jamie Delantonas
Jeff Dell
Randy DeLong

Steve del Vecchio
Maria Deritis
Camilla Deyton
Suzanne Dickinson
Alan Dieffenbach
Paulette Donahue
Libby Dove
Mike Dover

Wanda Downer
Connie Drake
Lynne Dunlap
Jerry Dunlop
Joyce Dwiggins
Clint Dyer
Jon Eaker

Brett Eastman
Nancy Eldredge
Minnie Pearl Ellison
Bob Emory
Brian Epstein
Max Erb
Janet Ervin

Maggie Ervin
Carole Evans
Don Evans
Roger Faulkenberry
Ed Feimster
Laverne Fesperman
Lillian Fesperman

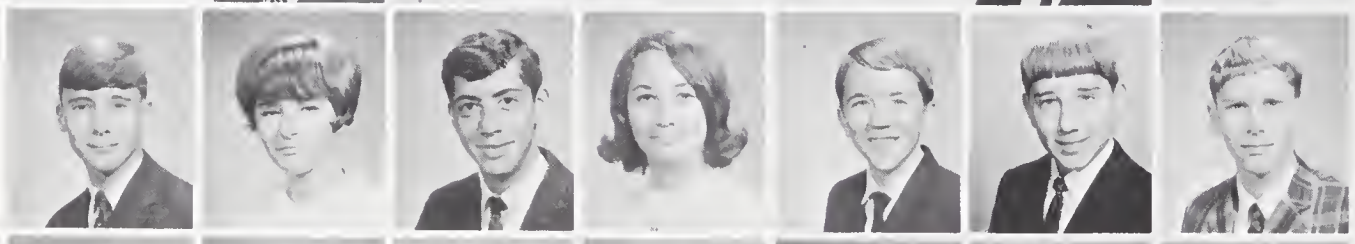


Linda Fesperman
Max Fine
Velda Fisher
Donna Flenniken
John Foster
Billie Jeanne Fowler
Wade Fox

# World History adds a universal aspect to the sophomores' studies

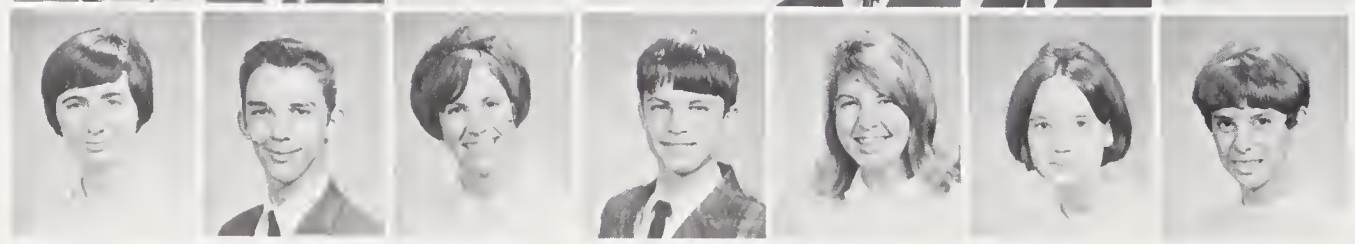
John Frank
Susan Freshcorn
Louise Frye
Lenore Fuerstman
Brent Funderburk
Mike Funderburk
Judy Furman

Joyce Furr
Bert Gallaher
Carol Gallant
Terrie Gamble
Debbie Gardner
Ken Garner
Connie Gianopulos



George Gibbons
Debbie Gibson
Randy Gibson
Lynne Gilbert
Alan Giles
Karl Giles
Danny Gilleland

Craig Gillen
Isaiah Gilliam
Debra Gilreath
Nancy Glenn
Bob Goddard
Chip Golding
Cathy Gossett



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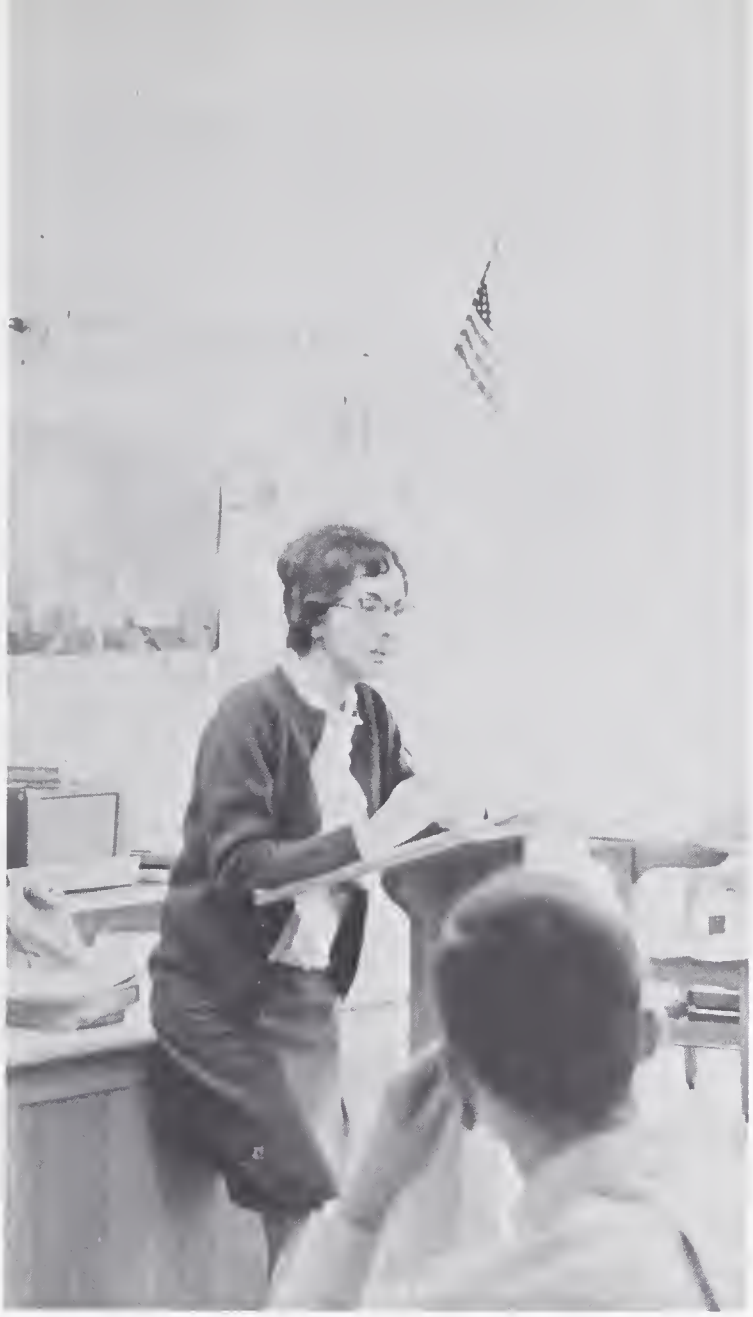
Eddie Green
Jeannie Green
Judy Green
Vicky Greene



Mrs. McDade teaches sophomores to 'parler francais.'

Intelligent discussion is a necessary part of World History studies.

Donna Gregory
Sheila Griffin
David Guggenheim
Susan Gunn
Barbara Hadley
Mike Hague
Robert Haigler

Jan Hall
Jo Ellen Hall
Ken Hamilton
Angie Hammond
Brad Hammond
Bill Harden
Dick Hargrove

Cynthia Harrelson
Alice Harrill
Linda Harris
Donna Hart
Billy Harvey
Christine Harvie
Charles Hawkins

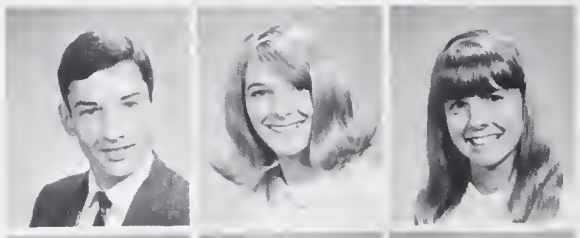
Chris Hayes
Hugh Hayes
Robin Hege
George Helms
Lora Henderson
Sandy Hendrick
Scott Hendry

Sophomores still enjoy the pains of tradition.

Carolyn Henry
Lee Hensley
Randall Herron

Deanne Hess
Barbara Heckel
Adell Hicklen

Wayne Hildebrandt
Dewanna Hildreth
Vicki Hill



Charlotte Hinson
Gary Hinson
Jack Hobbs

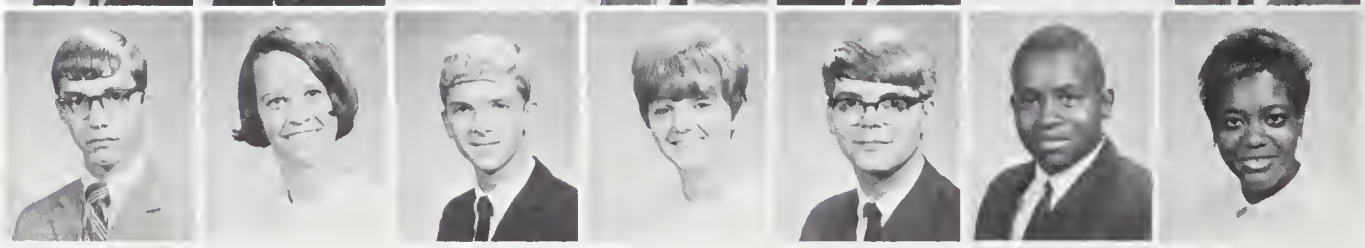
Billy Hodgin
Steve Holbrook
Linda Holloway

Ellen Holt
Rachel Hood
Vickie Hood
Doug Hooks
Lisa Hopkins
Rick Hordman
Carol Horne

Brenda Houck
Bob Hovis
Wayne Hovis
Patsy Hoyle
Angie Huff
Nancy Humphries
Fran Hunt

Dan Hunter
Jim Hunter
Suzanne Huntley
David Huss
Jack Ingersoll
Debbie Instone
B. Lynn Irwin

Steve Irwin
Suzanne Isola
Ricky Isrel
Becky Jackson
Bobby Jackson
Johnny Jackson
Shirley Jackson



# A fresh look of life awaits sophomores in intensified high school studies

Connie James
Kathy Johnson
David Jones
Mark Jorgenson
Rusty Kelley
Melissa Kerr
Neil King

Patricia James
Phil Johnson
Dee Jones
Sam Jorgor
Barbara Kelly
Nancy Kessler
Gary Kinley

Sallie Jenkins
Sarita Johnson
Gail Jones
Joyce Justice
Dell Kendall
Candy Kilby
James Kirkpatrick

Cham Johnson
Art Jones
Sylvia Jones
Robert Kaemmerlen
Jane Kennerly
Janice Kimbrell
Jerry Klein

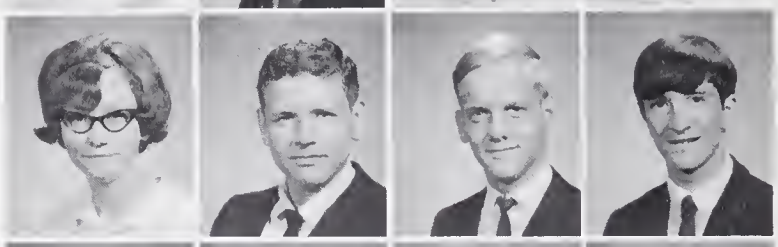
Douglas Johnson
Bobby Jones
Johanna Jordaans
Kathy Kalk
Jane Kerhoulas
David King
Donald Knight

Jan Johnson
Cynthia Jones
Chris Jordan
Debby Keith
Frank Kerr
Jann King
Patty Knight

Seniors point the way for new arrivals.

Nancy Knighten
Terry Knotts
Karen Koob
Martha Kramer

Pat Kuykendall
Lynn Lafrage
Johnny Lakeman
Rick Landwehr



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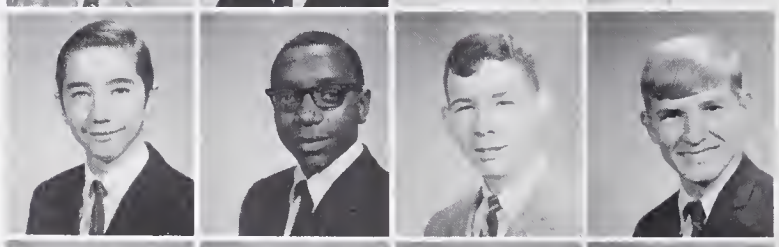
David Lee
Steve Lefler
Mike Lester



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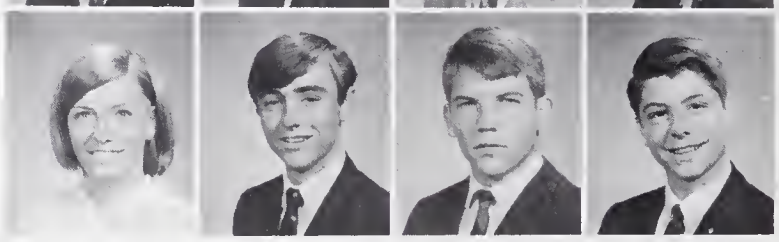
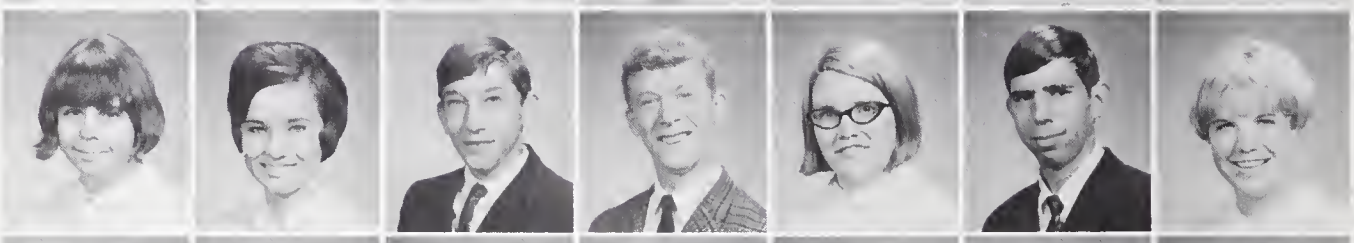
Bill Lipscomb
Jim Locke



Sue Lockman
Jan Lomax
Shirley Long
Annie Lowery
Judy Lowrance
Linda Loy
Margaret Lyford

Marian Mahaffee
Mary Mann
Jim Manthos
Steve Marbut
Janet Martin
Robert Marx
Becki Massey



Cheryl Mattey
Frank McAlister
Robin McArn
Beverly McGee
Nancy McBride
Pam McCauley
Joe McCorbin

Eddie McCoy
Michael McCoy
Lois McCraw
Carren McDonald
Craig Mcdonald
Felix McElveen
Barbara McGarity

# Pseudo-sophistication of upperclassmen bewilders sophomores on first day of school

Dwight McGarity
Danny McGinn
Butch McGraw
Debby McIntyre
Jean McKinney
Jim McLeod
Linda McMillen

Walter McNeil
Janice McPoland
Lee McRee
Phil Mealy
Eddie Michael
Jean Mielke
Cathy Milam

JoAnn Milam
Betty Miller
Excoler Miller
Ramona Miller
Susan Miller
Cindy Millsaps
Lynn Mitchell

Wes Mitchell
Terri Mobley
Kathy Moeller
Mickey Monroe
Eugene Montezinos
Johnny Montucri
Vickie Mooney

Debby Moore
Janet Moore
Joan Moore
Judy Moore
Johnny Morris
John Morrison
Dee Moses

Theresa Mullis
Johnny Murray
Randy Murray
Sonny Myers
Toni Naples
Carol Natelson
Dianne Neely

Ken Neely
Ted Nehrenberg
Robyn Neill
Becky Nicholson
Margaret Norman
Bill Nuttall
Patsy Oakley

Janet Olive
Kathy Olson
Pam O'Quinn
Eddie Osborne
Kathy O'Shields
Sandy Overcarsh
Vicki Overcash

J.V. cheerleaders exemplify the exuberant spirit of underclassmen.

Ginny Owen
Peggy Owens
Marion Parker

Vicki Parker
David Parsons
Debbie Partridge

Nancy Pate
Debbie Pather
Pam Park

Roger Paules
Celia Paxton
Doug Pearsall

Marcia Pedersen
Anne Pennington
Jay Pennington

# The spirit of new students adds spark

Mike Penny
Vicki Perry
Carolyn Phifer
Rita Phifer
Roger Phillips
Susan Pieper
Diane Postell

Don Prasse
Gary Prendergast
Jeff Price
Kathi Price
Mike Protheroe
Rick Pugh
Linda Pulliam

Susan Query
Mike Queen
Sally Rabun
Mike Ragon
Kathy Rambo
Marilyn Rea
Mike Rea

Bob Reames
Bill Reaves
Frank Redd
Tom Reeder
Donna Reeves
Ike Reeves
Delores Reid

Eddie Reid
Mary Jay Reid
Susan Reid
Anne Renfro
Chris Reynolds
Kathy Rhyne

Sherry Richards
Blair Ridgeway
Butch Rives
Terri Roach
Bill Roberts
Debbie Roberts

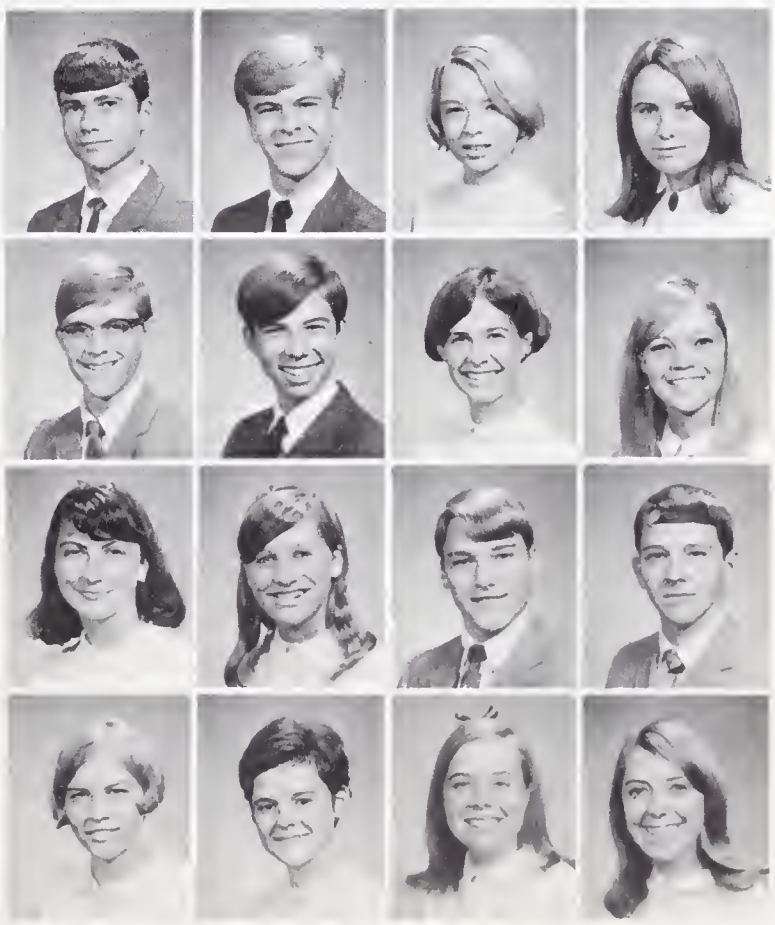
John Roberts
Johnny Robinson
Robert Robinson
Pat Rodgers
Chuck Rogers
Dee Rost

Stephanie Roth
Debby Royal
Sheila Runyan
George Sadler
Gerry Sale
Candy Samples

Debbie Satterfield
Robin Saunders
Dickie Sawyer
Lynda Scanlan
Lisa Schachner
Kathy Schlee

# to South's extra-curricular activities

Mike Dover adds two points for the J.V.'s



Mark Schmiel
Tommy Schramm
Linde Schurmeier
Diane Scoggins

Heyward Sease
Mac Seaver
Bobbie Sellars
Sandy Shackleton

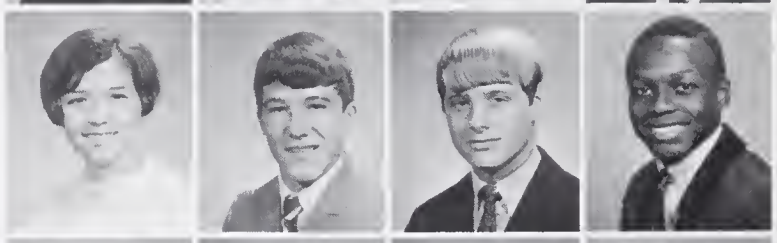
Cathy Shannon
Donna Shaver
Greg Shealy
Jimmy Sherman

Susie Sherrill
Nancy Shields
Tina Simmons
Betty Simpson

Coaches shape students' bodies as well as their minds.

Leroy Simpson
Pam Simpson
Jackie Sims
Scott Sistare

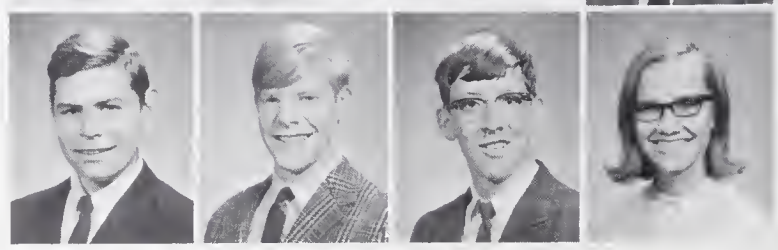
Susan Slye
Bill Smith
Bob Smith
Levi Smith



Lynn Smith
Lynn Smith
Tony Smith
Sandy Smith

Karen Snipes
Diana Spake
Lucille Spearman
Mae Spencer

Larry Squires
Bob Stafford
Chuck Starnes
Susan Starnes



Barry Steger
David Stephens
Gil Stephens
Toni Stephenson
Peggy Stewart
Regena Stikeleather
Bill Stokes

Gary Stroud
Kathy Stroud
Marilyn Strowd
Gayle Stubbs
Patricia Stuut
Carolyn Sullivan
Bobbie Swartzlander

Debbie Tagalos
Bryan Tansill
Jack Taylor
Mike Taylor
Pat Taylor
Emily Thacker
Tip Tipton

Tommy Tipton
Mac Travis
Emily Troyer
Judy Tucker
Jack Turnbull
Andy Turner
Joe Turner

# By the year's end the sophomore class has contributed to the unique personality that is South Mecklenburg High School

Hazel Turner
Tom Tysinger
Rose Mary Vance
Gill Vanderlip
Roddy Vaughan
Wendy Vaughn
Jan Vincent

Sandra Waldrop
Johnny Walker
Gary Wallace
Tobi Wallace
Cathy Ward
Steve Warren
Kathy Watt

Amanda Webster
Teena Webster
Dick West
Jim Whipple
Barry White
Chuck White
Gail White

Glynn White
Jackie White
Almerinda Whittemore
Mary Wilbur
Jim Wiley
Tim Wilhelm
Andrea Wilkins

Butch Williams
Marilyn Williams
Vayle Ann Williams
Pam Wilson
Robert Wilson
Sandra Wilson
Wade Wilson

Kay Woodell
Rai Winchester
Pat Wollen
Richard Woodward
Jill Worrall
Gail Wright
Laura Yandell

Linda Yandell
Lynn Yarborough
Francis Young
Glyn Young
Jay Young
Zada Young
Phil Zachary

# Spring Activities

Impatiently, youth implores spring sun and wind
To warm hands winter chilled, to brush away the snow
But time turns slow on schoolroom walls
And hard, black arms still tell—
1:05; fifth period remains, barring restless hearts
From green and blue and happy sounds.
Condemned, to spring afternoons defiled by a teacher's drone
And shoes.
Now young and green, the grass shouts with new freedom
The cry is futile, muffled in the steady hum of mowers
Stretching, roaring.
The air is crisp, and blue, and she too cries
And runs and runs, and whines, to carry
Voices.

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# Senior Honor Students

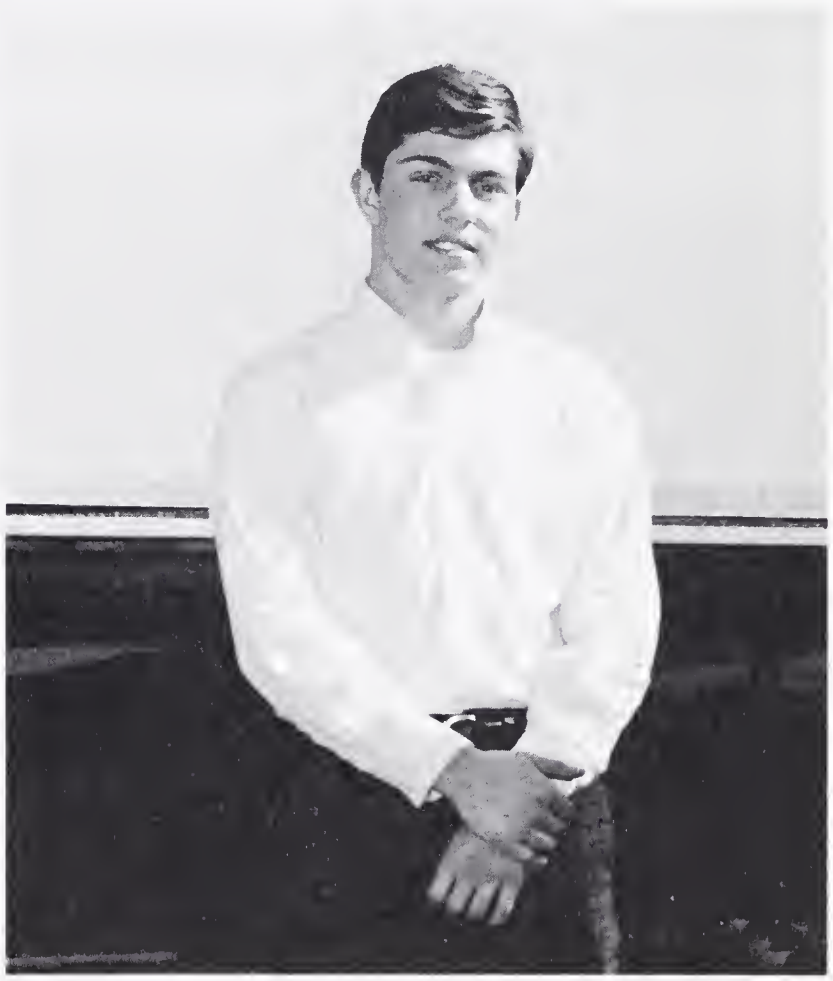
**Front row:** Paula Lombardi, Liesl Cobb, Susan Millbern, Marylin Roberts, Jenny Franks. **Second row:** David Durham, Bryson Bateman, Dirk Bittinger, John Beall, Mike Vaden.

# Junior Marshals

**Front row:** Jane Suiter, Barbara Robinson, Wanda Porter, Donna Spoor, Melissa Daniel, Cindy Shannon. **Second row:** Don Stewart, Tommy Smith, Anita Lapham, Debbie Hartis, Milton Martin, Rick Elkins.

Miss Becky Pickle is this year's winner of the Interact Service Award. Her selection was based on the characteristics of leadership, service and character. Becky is also well-known for her constant effort and indefatigable willingness to serve.

# Outstanding service rates recognition



The Interkeys have established an award for the young man who has made the most significant service contribution. The first award is given to Mr. Alan Guggenheim for his diligent work and the high standard of excellence he has set.

Each year the Key Club members, well-acquainted with character and leadership themselves, elect a young lady who best expresses their ideal. Miss Vicki Geer, continues the club's tradition by standing out as a model of personality and intelligence as well as being a hard worker.

One spring evening each year South's upperclassmen leave the realm of teachers, books, and tests to enter the enchanting world of tuxedos and after-parties. Their purpose was creating a memorable send-off for graduating seniors; their destination, the South Seas. Amid the tall palms and beautiful orchids, many juniors received their first look at formal affairs while seniors had a last look at the social life of high school, but everyone enjoyed the night that was, as all Junior-Seniors are, a high point of the year.

Mike Dailey and Miss Ellenburg organize the efforts of the Jr.-Sr. committees.

Diane Paradise and her escort, Ted Troutman, enjoy a chance to try out formal attire.

# South sees the South Seas

Committee chairmen discuss the problems of building a tropical paradise.

# Jr.-Sr. success result of diligent work

Decorations Committee
Susan Freeman—Chairman

Property Committee
Mike Dailey—Chairman

Arrangements Committee
Vernon Heimbach—Chairman

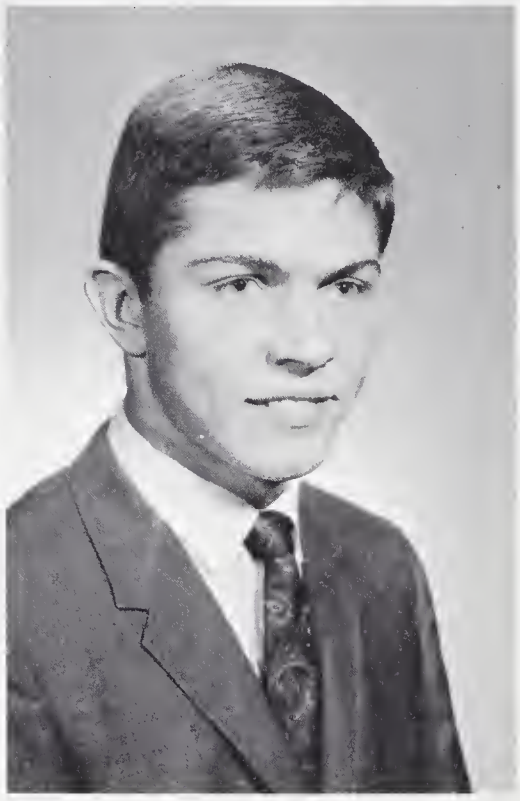
Invitation Committee
Wes Hege—Chairman

Refreshments Committee
Lee Baker—Chairman

Orchestra Committee
Robbie Dickson—Chairman

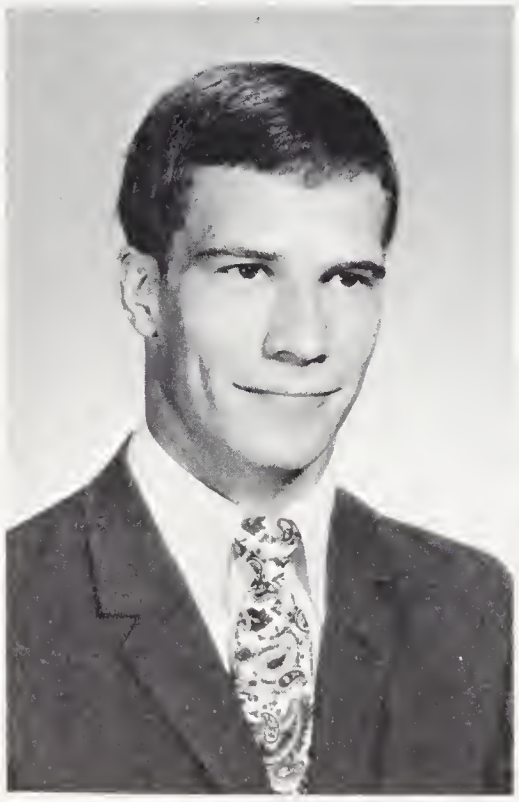
# Outstanding Seniors

**Aleanne Faires**
Effervescent. . . Ambitious. . .
Conscientious. . . Active

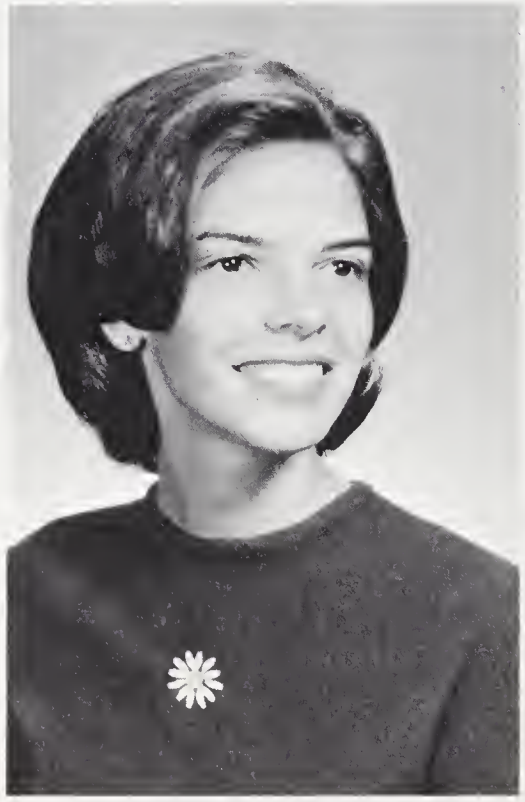


**Alan Guggenheim**
Perceptive. . . Sincere. . .
Athletic. . . Profound

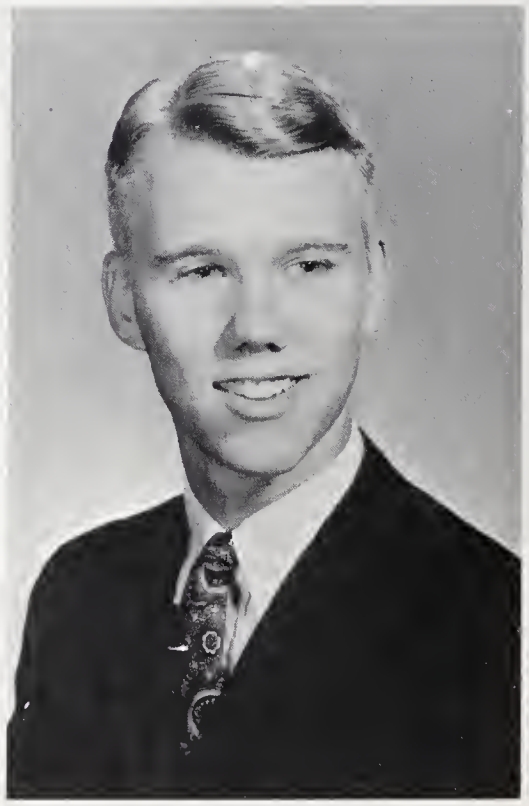
**Jenny Franks**
Sensitive. . . Dependable. . .
Intelligent. . . Enthusiastic



**Mike Vaden**
Versatile. . . Athletic. . .
Diligent. . . Intelligent



**Paula Lombardi**
Co-operative. . .
Reliable. . . Earnest. . .
Good Citizen



**Bill West**
Amiable. . . Energetic. . .
Eager. . . a Leader

# Mr. and Miss South High

The title of Mr. or Miss South High is the highest honor that can be awarded to any Scuth student. Because Mr. Jeff Langley and Miss Becky Pickle have exemplified South's ideals of leadership, scholarship, citizenship and character, they have been honored with this title.

"Kneel juniors—rise seniors!"

# Pride in achievement culminates in Class Day

Excitement swells as the seniors march in to the touching sound of "Pomp and Circumstance" and an expectant hush falls over the crowd. As the Last Will and Testament is presented and the Class Prophesy is revealed, these people share their last laughter, their last tears.

For seniors it is a day when trials and tribulations are reconciled.

For juniors it is the day when they acquire their long-awaited title of "Senior".

For sophomores it is a day filled with anticipation of two long years ahead.

The year is over.

Seniors file in for their last look at the institution that has been such a large part of their lives.

# Graduation rewards twelve years of labor

That one little piece of paper makes it all worth it.

Lizzie Betts participates in the graduation ceremony as her last duty as Senior Class Treasurer.

Graduation is a special event, affecting each senior in a different manner, but among the mixed emotions are always excitement and a sense of accomplishment. Besides the obvious benefits of twelve years of education, there is pride in having endured the process. Too, there is happiness, for graduation is the last step of childhood; all efforts are now those of an adult. There is regret in leaving many friends and in the things that might have been accomplished. There are tears, smiles, and even laughter for the day when a senior says good-bye to an experience that will always deeply influence his life.

When the years have fallen away may this one seem golden.

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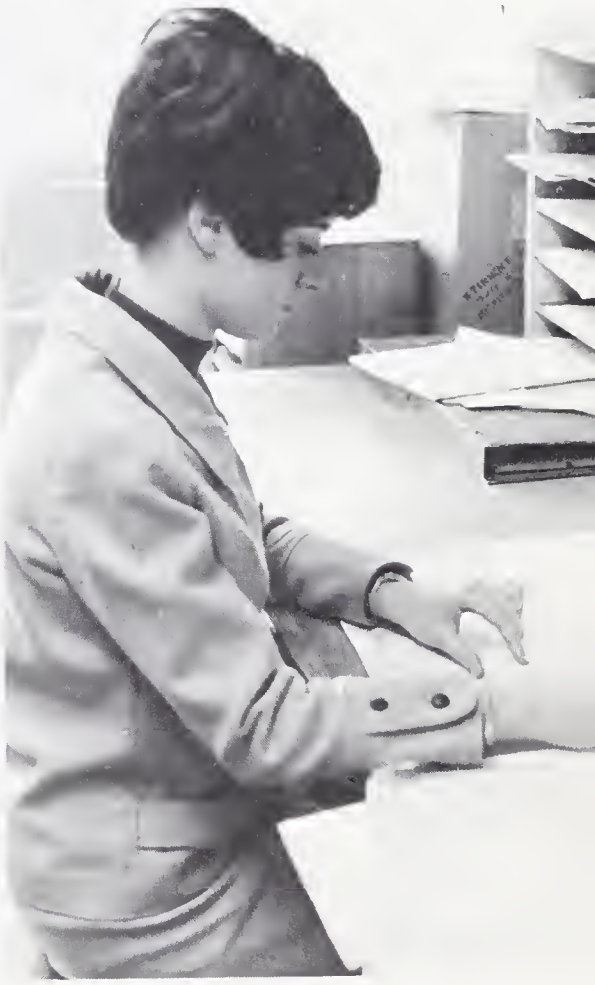

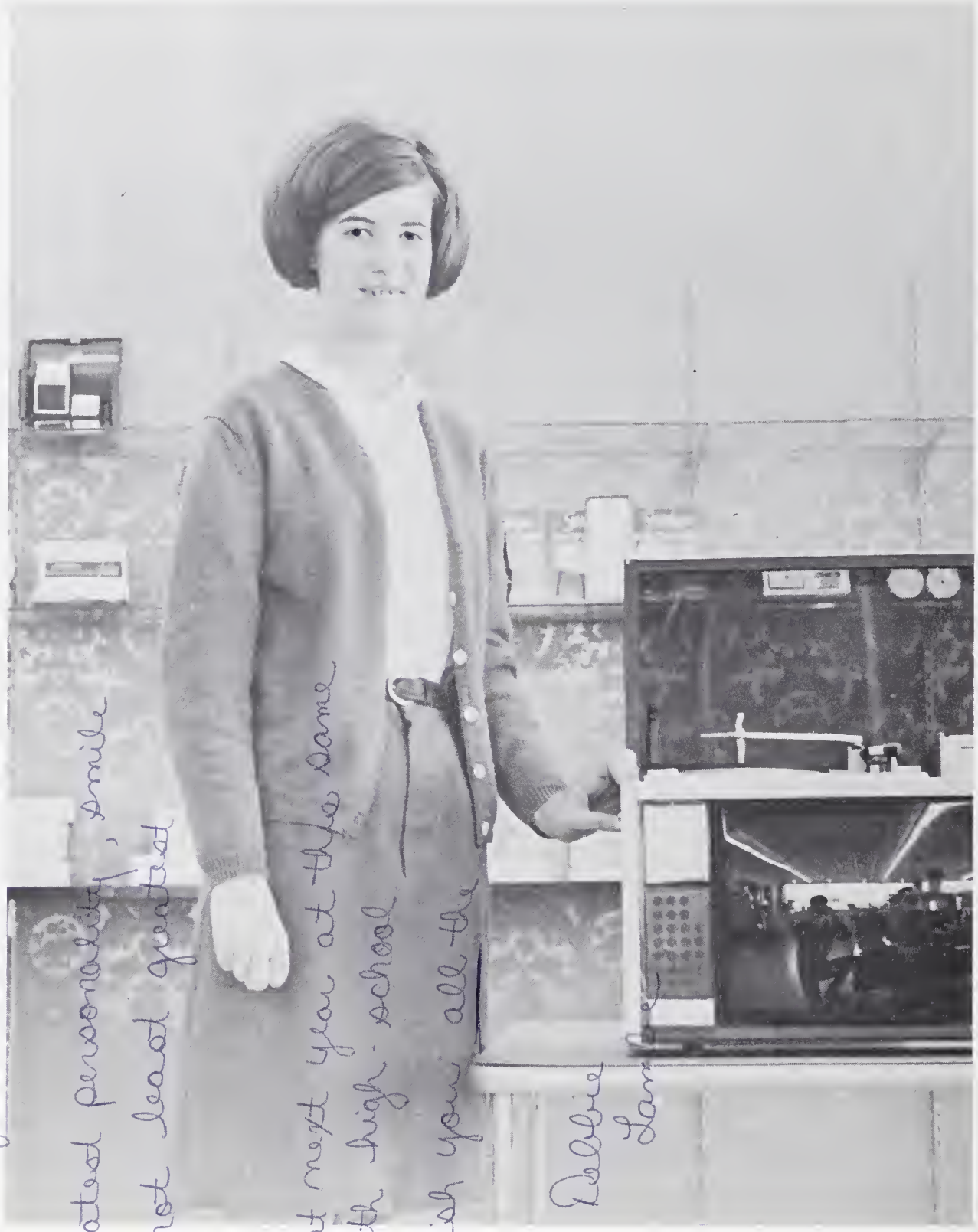

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Dear Wesley,

I really could not describe just how much I have enjoyed knowing you all these years. Between you and Jan and your many jokes no wonder those two have had such a good time. You have got the greatest personality, but not least great attitude, smile, and cute. Variety is the spice of life. I can not believe that next year at this time we will be through with high school. To a great boy I wish you all the luck in the future!

Dee Dee

Wesley Thompson
Even though you or this have given have enjoyed "hard time" the best of luck in the future
semester - I
browning you /
Jane (Miss) Rubinski
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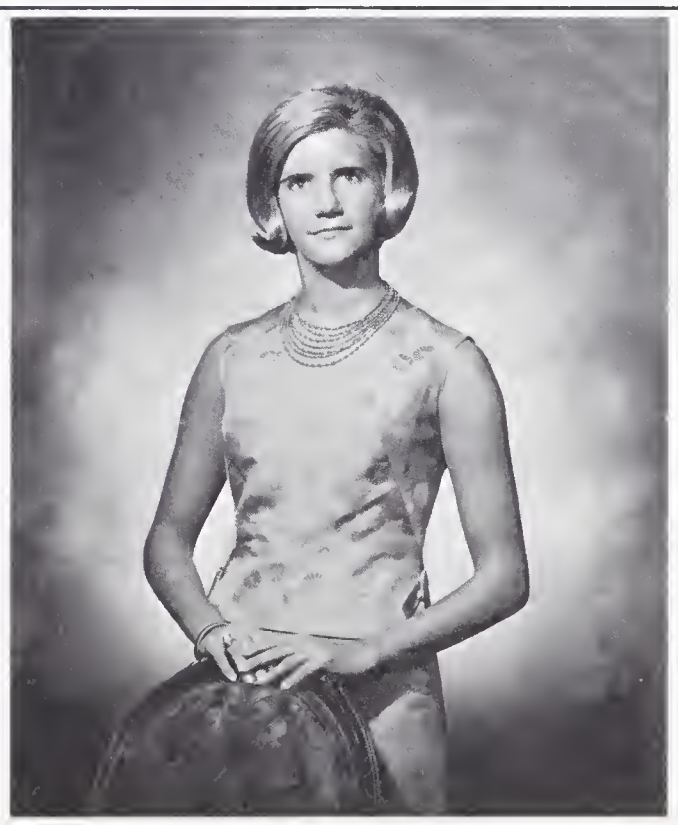


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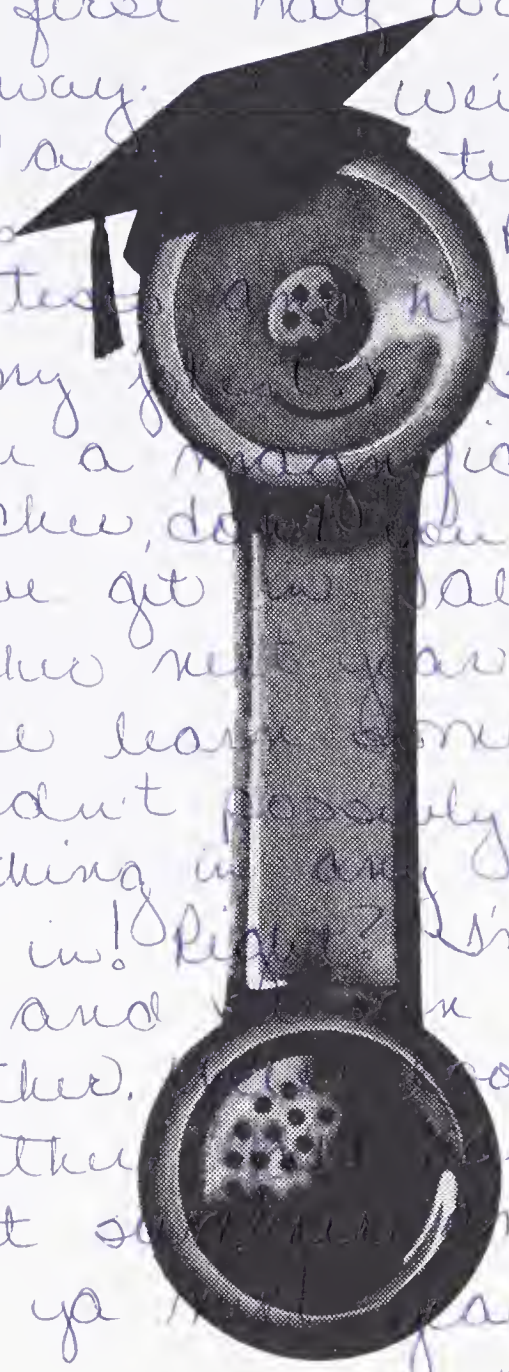
Wesley,

Well, here I am as usual, on the telephone! Its been great knowing you this year in Algebra, the first half was good anyway. We really had a [illegible] time with Miss [illegible] Raulsuk, her tests [illegible] funny, funny [illegible] this been such a magnificent teacher, don't you think? If we get in Algebra - Trig together next year maybe you'll learn something, you couldn't possibly learn anything in any class I'm not in! Right? I'm so glad you and [illegible] got together. [illegible] look so good together [illegible] have a great summer [illegible] and behave. See ya next year!

Love ya,
Nichele



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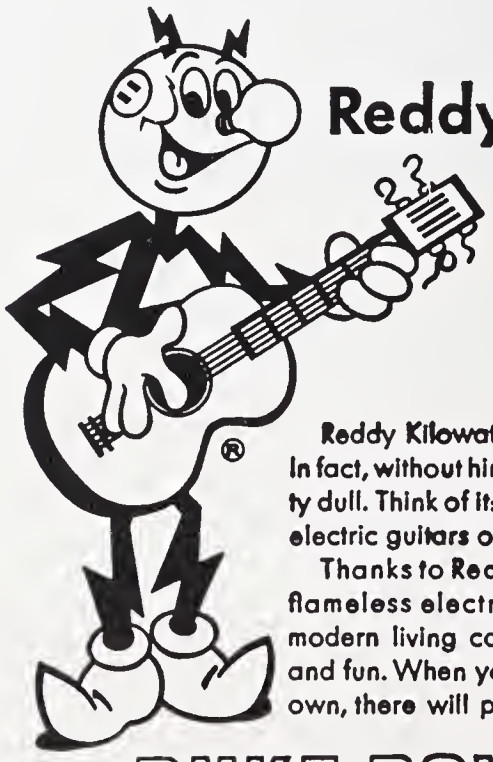

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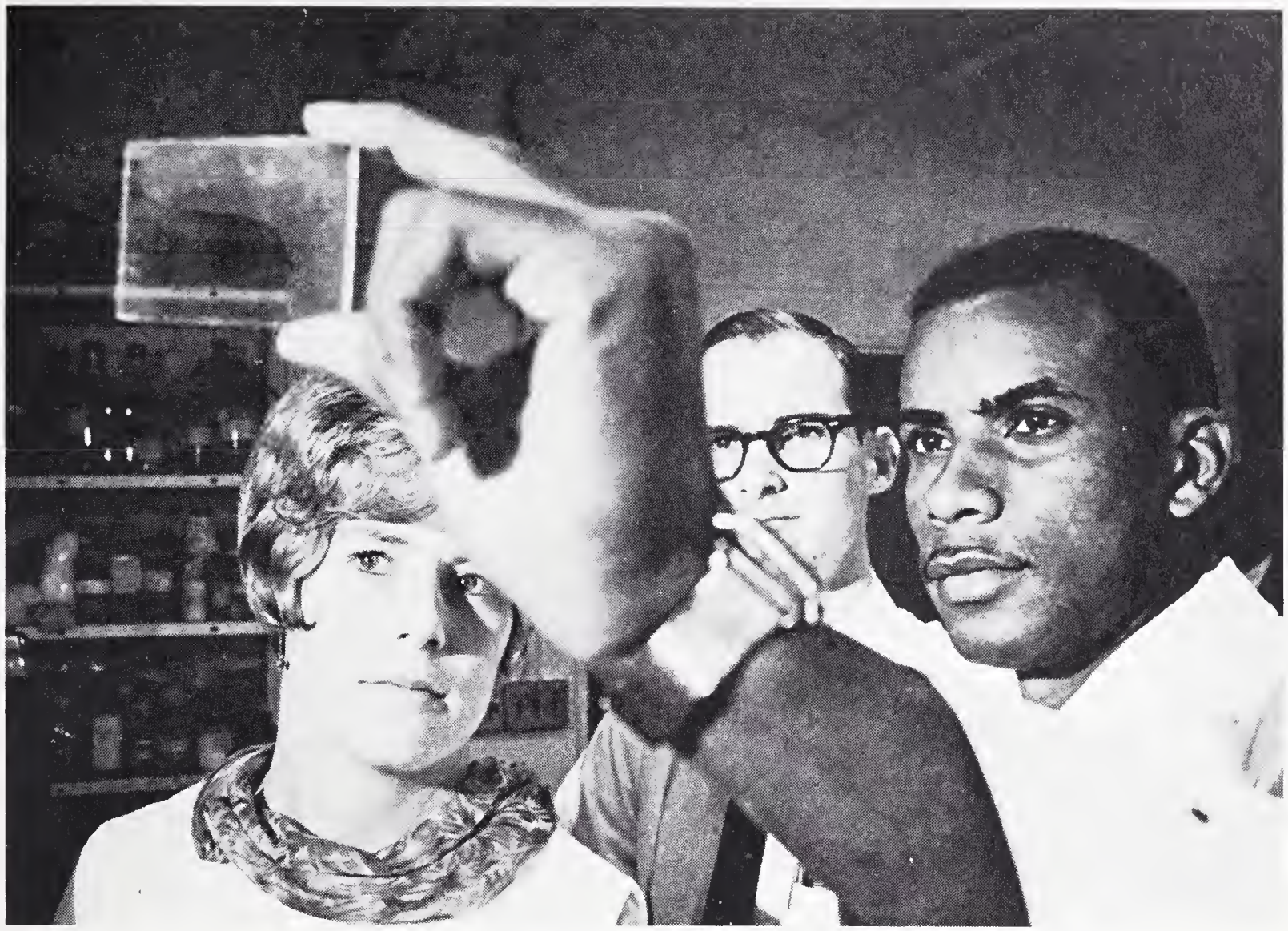

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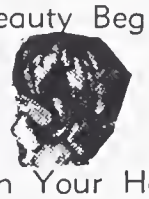

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Have a great year & hope! See ya next

Love ya,
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(Hadley)


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Lots of luck always
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Sylvia Estes

Wesley,
I finally found a place to write. You have so many friends - but I'm not surprised. You have a personality like yours - a country to have them. You are a Bug. Have fun this summer! Skipper White
P.S. Excuse this writing. My Bus just won't stay still.

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Well Wesley,
It's been great this year in history (real groovy)
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Wesley
It has been a real pleasure knowing you this year. You are some man! You are on your road to great accomplishments. I have enjoyed reading your poetry; you have a great talent. Best of luck next year as a senior. I hope you enjoy your senior year as much as I did. South is a great school!
Best Wishes to a great person.
Sincerely
Perry Kell
Perry '68

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Wesley,
Oh hasn't algebra been groovy! I hope we get a decent teacher next year. You're something else Wes. Never forget the time in Holly Smith when you were trying to sell me the stereo. Oh well almost.
Been great knowing you!
Have a nice summer,
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Richard
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How can I ever begin to write down all our little wild and crazy adventures we've had together? I have a million and one memories of you from this year. My favorite memories ~~were~~ are your smiling face and ~~the~~ silly, but cute, wave at the football games! When I think of you I'll always remember football games, an occassional visit to Sunday School, Alice and Ambrose and last of all and best of all — Susan. She is a lucky girl to have such a great boy as you! I envy her — she made a wise choice.

Wesley, even after many years I think I shall still remember your warm, sincere kindness you gave to everyone. When every I was sad or lonely I could always turn to you to find a true friendship to help guide my day!

Wesley, I wish to you and Susan all the happiness and luck in the world. You are a great guy and you deserve only the best that life has to offer.

Love ya,
Lizzie

**Today Tomorrow**

The hopeless, cluttered mire of things undone
Bids lost moments slow return;
No more, in fond recall, can fickle years appear
To warm a heart or leave a pleasant sigh.
The oft forgotten Memory transcends those countless days
Now buried in the past, until at last,
She lays a rightful claim on all her thankless slaves.

—Charles Scott Pugh

Wes

Well we've had a great time this year in Bunch's 3rd period class. I'll always remember you as the summer I learned of the dance. I hope we will be in your classes next year so we can have another extra-ish time. See ya later Bobbie Shaver

Wesley,
What would chemistry have been without you and our thrilling episodes by Mr. Bunch. You're a good friend to have and stay just like you are.
Love ya,
Debbie McCormick (Brown)

Wesley,
It's really been something knowing you this year. You're so crazy - I could never forget you. Now you'll get my final thanks for those "sentences" you did for me - I really appreciated it. Good luck next year and stay as wonderful as you are now.
Debbie (Butler)

Wesley,
Oh what would of Study Hall be without you. Oh merci my friend am glad I got to know you this year. Have a good summer & we good luck
Lots of Luck
Linda (Bowden)

Wesley,
Can you believe that we almost never met? (Hah) You're a lucky man, Mr. Bunch's great class, the music, the ice cream, Hockey, you're great, fun, crazy with a great sense of humor - the best summer I have ever had. Love,
Donna (Post)

Wesley,
It's been a great year. Thanks for the memories. Have a great summer.
Love,
Donna Miller

Wesley-

As I sit here on the patio listening to the fountain I am reminded of all the lunch periods we spent out here and of a whole year full to the brim of pleasant memories which you have given to me.

I'll never forget all the wonderful times we have shared. Who could forget those irreproachable football games, the sultry dances, the tear-jerking movies, or the long hard evenings at Helens working on Jr.-Sr. decorations - those blessed flowers? More than this, my memory contains the remembrance of the rainy days when you walked me to the bus, you sitting in the water fountain outside the Home Ec. room, jokes with Mr. Bunch, and millions of "little big things" that have made me the happiest girl in the world.

But more than all the fond memories, more than all the gifts and flowers, more than all this you have given me God's greatest gift - complete happiness. For this I can never completely repay you.

You have also given me a bright future to look forward to. Next year we're going to be seniors. Is it the end of the road, or the beginning of a new one? As long as we are traveling the road together, I'm sure that we will be going in the right direction.

So, for all this and much, much more that you have given to me, I have only one thing to give you in return - all of my love.

Forever
Your Susan

Wesley,

It has been a casual aquaintance, (I don't know how to spell) but I have come to know you as a great guy and a great friend on old BUS 234. Best of luck in your senior years and your oncoming years.

Steve Marbut

Dear Wesley,

Just think how lucky we are to be friends! Just look at the fun we have had! I'm so glad I got a contact on the floor of the Senate! I'll see you now of course, but I'll miss our chats and your sweet smile. Good Luck in your senior year and forever! You're a great guy and I'm so glad I've known you. Love fun and Americans!

Jan Dixie Howell '68

Dear Wesley,

Now can I explain what happened? I thought I was getting a nice, intelligent, good looking guy. Instead I ended up with a conceited, self-centered, ego-maniac. Thanks a lot! Maybe you can't help it, but I think you should try to be more like the rest of us. Don't worry about it, you can't do a good job, but at least you tried. Good Luck in your senior year.

Sincerely yours,
Pat (Patsy) Clements

Best of luck in your senior year.

Bonnie Sue Wingate
Bobbie
Gentry
(Bob)

Wesley,

Man have we had hard times in History and Homeroom! At times I felt as if I could have thrown my History book at Mr. Jones, and Miss. Osborne should find out what she wants her homeroom to be. We're all so crazy in here, we really don't know whats going on, maybe one day we'll find out! I hope you're in my Homeroom again next year, and if you take World History, hope you're in my class! Our little corner in History has really livened up that class, and with Mr. Jones and his lousy jokes, the class really does need something. Be good over the summer and be sweet to Susan, of course you always are! We're going to be Seniors next year and we can kill all the juniors and Soph's if we <u>ever</u> get our Senior rings. Good luck in the future and stay sweet.

Susan (Lewis)
Class of "69"

Wesley,

I'm so glad that I met you this year. School has been quite hard and you know 11th grade is <u>much</u> harder!!! You brighten up my afternoons when you walk through the door of dear old Bus 234!! Good luck, senoir. See ya next year. Meantime have a superduper terrific vacation!!!

Martha Kramer

Wesley,

Yours,
Brenda (Marlow)

Wes, I only got to know you in study hall, but anyone who can burn his chest off in the shower can't be all bad. Good Luck as a Senior in '69.

Jeff Langley

Wesley –
I've seen you and Susan strolling together through the halls and knew you were giving her what no one else could – love & happiness – for this, I love you. Susan is one of my dearest friends, so I thank you for everything you've given her.
Now – down to chart & English & contest –
Remember how we cried and laughed over Mrs. Derry (Jaime) and all our trials & tribulations over English? And remember contest – the way we followed Jayne over to Queens & how sad we were when we didn't make all ones? Well, I'll always remember and I know you will too –
Finish later

Well, it's later (about 1 wk. in fact!) and time for me to finish. Wesley, you'll go far in the world. You have the personality and the talent to do anything you want. I wish you the best of luck in the future. Congratulations on getting pres. of Nixon! (Is it a plot for you & Susan to act out?) Guess you'll have to wait a few weeks to find out.)

Love,
Cheryl
(Lentheim)

Yes, it's really been a unique experience, our algebra II class, hasn't it? We've been through 3 teachers the only one really worth a damn was Mrs. Rogers. Remember the surprise party we gave her? Mrs. Boyd was O.K if you wanted to sit around and learn nothing. Last of all, but not least, Miss Rulnick. She's a great person but she really doesn't know how to express herself. Well, remember all the times we cut up - especially Valentine's Day and the red slip episode. That class has really been something to remember. I hope you and Susan will always be - you're such a cute couple. Thanks for opening the door everyday in home ec. I sure hope we can become better friends next year. Remember me always as I'll remember you. Remember such as $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ $a = b$ and all other equations $ac = bc$ you do! Good luck in all

Susan
Class of 1969
(Rulnick)

Wesley,
Chem and S.H. sure has been fun this year. It's not everyone that can share lab with someone who does titration as well as you do. It has been great being your lab partner this year and I really don't know what I would have done without you. I still can't do your equations. Good luck to you and Susan.

Love
Lynn (Butterfingers)
(Hermach)

Wesley
Study hall has been quite an experience with you. I never well forget all those crazy test that we took and the bull sessions afterward. I am expecting you to be a leader and for the Class of '69 to accomplish something. I wish you happiness and success in the years to come.

Best of Luck
William West
Class of 68

Wesley,
The sun is high & bells are ringing. It's been great in chem this year. I'll never forget (wonderwky) this season. Be good this summer and don't do anything I would. Good luck, I know you'll make a great South Man. Doug Newell

Wesley, I do not know what I would do without you in chem class and I do not know what I'll do next year. Don't forget one magic date. Don't forget one magic date. Don't forget one magic date. Love, Carol Malcolm '69

Wes, you're one of the nicest boys I've ever met! We've had some great times in study hall! You've got a good sense of humor, and although I'd never admitt it, you've got a good head on your shoulders! Susan is a lucky girl & I'm sure if I knew her I could say you are a real good sugar daddy! I hope you have a real good summer and I hope that sometime, somewhere, when you least expect it - Your pants will catch fire! Be good & have a GREAT summer!

(OOPS) SORRY ABOUT THAT SUSAN

Love ya,
Bonnie Koerner

Wesley,
You make the best flowers of any body in the world. Its a rumor but its true. Sometime this summer we have to go find a fight. Wesley you are just the greatest. Hope I have some classes with you next year. You & Susan come to see me this summer.

Love ya,
Olivia (allen)

Wesley,
Well Wesley we have made it through the 11th grade with only a few struggles. I just think next year will be our last. Kind of sad isn't it. I hope you and Susan have all the happiness in the world. Stay sweet and don't forget to be good and have a blast.

(carson)
Penny

Wesley -
I have to tell you - you are the greatest! People like you make me feel like singing. I'm so very happy that I was able to get to know you this year. I hope that we can always be friends no matter what the circumstances. Best of luck always to a wonderful person.

(Weir)
Love,
Marci Bell

Wesley,
will honey we did it
even with Mrs Kulnich
against us I wish we
could have been in more
classes together cause you
know I just luv you. You
better be in alot of my
classes next year so we can
have fun again. Wesley all I
can say is you a doll.

Love Dawn
(Dawnie)

My Dearest Wesley Baby,
(this is to make Susan jealous)
We finally got through Algebra.
Don't ask me how I just
want to say that I have really
enjoyed knowing you this year
and I do hope we are in
many classes together next
year. Have a real groovy
summer and be good (if at
all possible).

Love and kisses and all
that good stuff,

Marsha (Brussie)

PEACE

Wesley, you were
so crazy. Why don't you
go crazy? It's
no crime to be wild. Wonder
going to be real south next
with all the real nice old
next year. I'm great fun at more parties
have a great summer this summer
house: Be sure to write me
and God bless you. The future.

Love Mary (Mummery)

Hello Wesley,
It's all over the
can never have a nota
year quite like this one (Fra
Francis!) I'll never forg
all of your dumb ideas (
at Central & going over to get me
formal!) Wesley, you're just the
biggest dumb-idea-thinker-upper I
ever known. But putting all that aside
you are one of the best guys I know. There's
really no point in my trying to tell you a
you, since you already know how perfect you
are. So I'll leave you with just these last
few words: Up yours, here I go!

Love ya,
Lorraine (Spoor)

P.S. Best of luck always, but thank you don't need

Wesley,
I guess we have been through so much together. I guess we have cut each other enough and I want you to know I didn't mean it. You know we'll go to the beach this summer with the church and we're going to work on getting Susan down there. Wesley! You are the funniest thing especially when you cut. You are great. See you this summer.

Love always,
Cheryl (Crawford)

Wesley -
I've enjoyed knowing you this year in Choir, but it's rather frustrating sitting right to someone whose name rhymes with Louie! Seriously - no, forget that - Good luck on your Driving - Good luck - Sadie's really been an experience - Sadie! Sadie! Sadie! Hutchella! Living through Choir next year. Good Luck in the future -
Luck to you in the future -

Wesley,
It's been great fooling with you and Susan this year. Please, you and Susan don't from me, I hope you know how I feel around, like taking care of me. Don't Choir, but you've been following, doing can - you'll you're fooling - good luck in myself! Good next year, and South Texas - friend & mine,
need it! Your Dick (Mary)

Love,
Mary

Wesley,
I can't tell you how much I enjoyed walking to Chemistry with you. I really did enjoy the privilege. This year has been great hasn't it? I know it has for you and Susan. I love y'all both to death so never break up. You're quite a guy to have put up with the Chemistry class, kidding you all the time. Never change the way you are 'cause I love the way you are! You and Susan have a good time this summer and I hope to see you next year and this summer, too. Good luck always.

Love ya,
Vicki (Autumn)

Wesley,
Well our year in Mrs. Morris' English class has almost come to an end. Its been great hearing some of the things that you say in that class! You're a great guy with a great personality. Have a nice summer & I hope to see you next year. Good luck in the future.

Love,
Janice Moore

Wesley,
I'm so glad I got to know you this year. You know that I have great respect for you and Susan, and I hope your relationship will last for many more years. We've had good times in class, but we've had our most fun in Grammar. Truthfully I can't relate to anyone called with the club - I rather have as president. You'll make the best club at Erwin next year. Have a great summer and I probably see ya in Sept.

Love ya,
Joyce Jones

Hi Wes - Long time no see!
Good Luck Bubba Wes again!
Janis Hutchins
Wes I know you're a nice guy! It's been a pleasure being in Alabama's finest class in English. Be good & stay sweet.
Best Wishes,
Kelly

Wesley,

I'm trying to leave each of my special friends a quotation that pertains to them and will help them out in the future. I've decided to tell my guys special philosophy so feel privileged and get ready.

"The mind can make Hell out of Heaven and Heaven Hell." John Milton said that and he sure knew what he was talkin' about. I really don't think I have to preach that to you because you're one of the few faces of Faith that was really always smiling - in fact, I can't remember one time that I have ever seen you really depressed. Keep smiling, Wes, cause when she of your friendship and your smile is enough to make them stop and think that maybe things weren't quite as bad as they seem. Believe me, I know from personal experience. Very truly, "the Nickle"

Well Wesley, I've known you for 3 years now. It's been fun being the only another Junior on the bus. You're a real sweet boy but I'm sorry to say I don't want to ride the bus with you next year. I probably will even though I love ya

Both (Winnie)

Wesley darling,

Well - this year's been great hasn't it? And next year will be even better - especially with you heading the South Men - Well. I want you to know that I think you're an absolute doll and I love you to death (Hi Susan!) - Well - be good this summer - Maybe I'll see you!

Your friend

Wesley Koons

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